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P R E F A C E .

ACKWORTH SCHOOL, situated about three miles from Pontefract, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, is the oldest and largest educational institution connected with the Society of Friends. It was founded—mainly through the efforts of Dr. John Fothergill, the eminent physician and philanthropist—in 1779, and has consequently exercised its beneficent influence for a period of one hundred and ten years. Both sexes are educated at the School, and the Register, at the end of the first hundred years, contained 9,486 names—a number which at the present date has been increased to about ten thousand.

I have endeavoured in this book to record the contributions to literature made by old Ackworth scholars. It also indicates incidentally what has been done by them in science and politics, in religious and philanthropic missions, so far as these are represented in books or other printed documents. Other old scholars have attained to eminence as artists, doctors, engineers, inventors, and teachers, and some day, perhaps, the Ackworth Old Scholars Association will arrange for an annotated edition of the School Register, which will include their names and give an account of their labours.

Bibliography in recent years has aspired to the exactitude of a science. Its votaries require that its records should be amenable to proof. This can only be attained on the part of the bibliographer by actual access to the books themselves, and by a faithfully exact entry of the title-pages and other needful or desirable particulars. In the present instance, for obvious reasons, it has been impossible to observe these conditions. A very large number of the books, pamphlets, and other publications here enumerated have passed out of existence, or, if

still extant, could only have been obtained after a prolonged and exhaustive search in all sorts of out-of-the-way places. The great library at the British Museum knows them not. Under these circumstances I have been compelled to rely largely upon the evidence of catalogues; and in this connection I have been much assisted, as regards works published prior to 1867, by the monumental *Catalogue of Friends' Books* by Joseph Smith.

The second section is devoted to the printed documents relating to the School, the village, and the parish.

To many old scholars, and to the descendants and relatives of such, I am indebted for information most courteously and willingly placed at my service. I am under special obligations to Henry Thompson, of Arnside, the author of the *History of Ackworth School*, and to Joseph Spence Hodgson, of Manchester, for valuable assistance in many directions; and to Joseph P. Drewett, of Arnside, for his kindly help in the revision of proofs.

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BIBLIOGRAPHY OF ACKWORTH SCHOOL.

PART I.

ACKWORTH SCHOLARS AND THEIR WRITINGS.

ASHWORTH, HENRY, born at Entwistle, near Bolton, September 4, 1794; at Ackworth, 1807-8; cotton manufacturer at Turton, near Bolton; member of the council of the Anti-Corn-Law League, and some time president of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce; died at Florence May 17, 1880, aged eighty-six. The *Dictionary of National Biography*, in its notice of H. A. (vol. ii., p. 187-8), says, "He was a member of the Society of Friends, but had a most unquakerly passion for the gun, which he used with great dexterity on the moors. His hardy frame and careful life gave him unusual advantages, so that at eighty he was as sure of his aim as at twenty." For other biographical details consult A. Prentice's *History of the League*; John Morley's *Life of Cobden*; the *Times*, May 20, 1880; the *Academy*, vol. i., 1880. A portrait of H. A. is given in his *Recollections of Cobden*.

1838.	The Preston Strike of 1837	- - - -	Manchester.
1841.	Trade Depression at Bolton	- - - -	Manchester.
1842.	State of Lancashire: Statistical Illustrations	-	
1853.	The Preston Strike of 1853	- - - -	Manchester.
1858.	Cotton Cultivation	- - - -	Manchester.
1861.	A Tour in the United States and Canada	- -	Manchester.
1862.	Our Colonies	- - - -	
1864.	Maritime Law and Trade	- - - -	Manchester.
1866.	Cotton Manufacture: Historical Data	- -	Manchester.
1876.	Recollections of Cobden and the League.	Pp. 295	London,

A second edition in 1881.

BARBER, JAMES HENRY, born in London January, 1820; at Ackworth 1828-1832. Entered a bank in Leeds 1834, and was there nine years. Entered another bank in Sheffield, and has been in it (to date) nearly forty-five years, first as second officer, and for forty years as manager and managing director. Presided over the meeting of the Ackworth School Centenary.

1879. A Narrative of the Proceedings at the Celebration of the Centenary of Ackworth School, 1879. Edited by James Henry Barber. Pp. 212 - - - - London: S. Harris & Co.

BAKER, JOHN GILBERT, F.R.S., F.L.S., born at Guisborough, Yorkshire, in 1834; at Ackworth, 1843 to 1846, and afterwards at York; appointed curator of the Herbarium of the Royal Gardens at Kew in 1866, which position he still holds; and Lecturer and Demonstrator of Botany to the Apothecaries' Company in 1882. For many years he was Lecturer on Botany to the London Hospital, and one of the assistant editors of *Seeman's Journal of Botany*. Was for a while curator and afterwards secretary of the London Botanical Exchange Club. Is a Fellow of Royal and Linnæan Societies.

1863. North Yorkshire: Studies of its Botany, Geology, Climate, and Physical Geography.

A second edition in preparation.

1866. New Flora of Northumberland and Durham. [Aided by R. and G. Tait.]

1867. Synopsis Filicum.

Begun by Sir William J. Hooker. A second edition in 1874.

1869. Refugium Botanicum. Vol. I.

Also in subsequent years, vols. 3, 4, and 5.

1869. Monograph of British Roses.

1870. Monograph of the Ferns of Brazil. In folio, with fifty plates. Followed subsequently by monographs of the Compositæ, Ampelidæ, and Connaraceæ of the same country.

- 1870-80. Monograph of Liliacea in the *Journal* of the Linnæan Society.

1875. Elementary Lessons in Botanical Geography - Reeve, London.

The *Gardeners' Chronicle*, 1875, p. 651, says: "So much trustworthy information on this interesting subject, compressed into about one hundred pages, it is impossible to find elsewhere."

1877. Flora of Mauritius and the Seychelles.

- 1881-8. Many papers on the Botany of Madagascar, containing descriptions of 1,000 new species.

1883. Watson's Topographical Botany, second edition, edited by J. G. B., in conjunction with the Rev. W. W. Newbould; pp. xlvii. and 612.

The *Journal of Botany*, Sept. 1883, says: "It would be difficult to find a work which has been looked forward to with more anxiety than this new edition of *Topographical Botany*; difficult, too, to find a book which more thoroughly fulfils the anticipations formed of it. In the whole range of British botanists it would have been impossible to find two

so well fitted for the task of editing the work as those whose names are attached to the short preface with which it opens. United to Mr. Watson by strong ties of personal friendship, Mr. Baker and the Rev. W. W. Newbould are otherwise well adapted to carry on his work, possessing as they do respectively the faculty of generalization and the critical mind which were combined in Mr. Watson with such happy results."

1885. A Flora of the English Lake District, with the vertical range of all the species and localities of the rarities - *London: Bell & Sons.*
1886. A Handbook of the Fern Allies: containing descriptions of all the genera and species of Equisetaceæ, Lycopodiaceæ, Selaginellaceæ, and Rhizocarpeæ - - - *London: Bell & Sons.*
1886. Hooker's Icones. Vol. 17.
Containing figures and descriptions of 100 new and interesting ferns.
1887. Handbook of Amaryllideæ, including the Alstroemerieæ and Agaveæ, containing descriptions of 61 genera and 670 species, with their varieties, synonyms, and geographical distribution.
London: Bell & Sons.

The *Athenæum* of September 8, 1888, says: "This is one of those works of which the outcome seems at the first glance so disproportionate in value to the labour involved in its production. Those, however, who have to use the book will speedily come to another conclusion. The amaryllids are, for the most part, very imperfectly preserved in herbaria, and those who have observed them when growing have not always had the opportunity of profiting by the literature of the subject. Hence has arisen a chaotic nomenclature. Mr. Baker has had unusual opportunities of examining and collating the materials in the library and herbarium, while for the last twenty-three years, as he tells us, he has sedulously examined and noted all the living species that have come under his notice. It is no little service that a botanist of the calibre of Mr. Baker renders when he takes in hand the execution of surveys, the rectification of frontiers, the construction of maps, and the elaboration of census and registers. This, to speak metaphorically, is what Mr. Baker has done for the narcissi, the agaves, the crinums, and the other genera of this extensive order. Direct practical utility has been the object aimed at. Hence we find in the present volume only a descriptive catalogue and an accumulation of material which will be of the greatest value to those who will hereafter have to deal with the morphology and geographical distribution of the species."

In addition to the foregoing separate books or continuous treatises in journals, J. G. B. has contributed numerous papers, beginning in 1850, to the *Phytologist*, *Journal of Botany*, *Journal of the Linnean Society*, *Gardeners' Chronicle*, *Naturalist*, and *Nature*. During his curatorship at Kew he has described altogether about 12,000 plants, of which about one-fourth are new to science.

BINNS, JONATHAN, born at Liverpool about 1786; at Ackworth 1795 to 1799; son of Jonathan Binns, M.D., physician, who held office as Superintendent of the School from 1795 to 1804.

1815. Report of Experiments on the Keeping of Cattle on Green Food.
1837. On the Beauties and Miseries of Ireland Two volumes.
1851. Notes on the Agriculture of Lancashire, with suggestions for its improvement.

BRADY, GEORGE STEWARTSON, M.D., F.R.S., F.L.S., born at Gateshead; at Ackworth 1843-5; M.D. (St. Andrews); M.R.C.S. (England); Fellow of the Royal and Linnæan Societies, and Professor of Natural History in the Durham College of Science, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

1864. Report on Deep-Sea Dredging on the Coasts of Northumberland and Durham. Brit. Assoc. Annual Volume - - London.

1865. On new or imperfectly known species of Marine Ostracoda (Transactions of Zoological Society of London).

1868. A monograph of the Recent British Ostracoda (Transactions of the Linnæan Society).

1874. A monograph of the Post Tertiary Entomostraca of Scotland and parts of England and Ireland (jointly with Messrs. H. W. Crosskey and D. Robertson: (Palæontographical Society).

1875. A monograph of the Fossil Ostracoda of the Antwerp Crag (Transactions of Zoological Society).

1880. Reports of the Scientific Results of the voyage of H.M.S. Challenger: Ostracoda.

1884. Ditto: Copepoda.

1877-80. A Monograph of the free and semi-parasitic Copepoda of the British Islands. Three vols. (Ray Society).

1868. Lumen Siccum. An Essay on the Exercise of the Intellect in matters of Religious Belief - - - Kitto, London.

1887. On the Modern Spirit in the Study of Nature (*Friends' Quarterly Examiner*).

Also contributions to the *Annals and Magazine of Natural History*, Transactions of the Tyneside Naturalists' Field Club, *Friends' Quarterly Examiner*, *Manchester Friend*, various medical journals, proceedings of the Linnæan and Zoological Societies, and annual volumes of the British Association.

BRADY, HENRY BOWMAN, F.R.S., F.L.S., F.G.S., born at Gateshead; at Ackworth 1845 to 1849. A large contributor to the proceedings and publications of scientific societies.

1866. Foraminifera of the Crag (jointly with Professor Rupert Jones and W. K. Parker: Palæontographical Society) - - London.

1876. Fossil Foraminifera (the Genus *Fusulina* excepted). Twelve plates. (Palæontographical Society) - - London.

BRERETON, JOHN LE GAY, born at Bawtry, Yorkshire, October 28, 1827; at Ackworth from 1837 to 1841 (name entered in the Scholars' List as Brewerton). Studied at Edinburgh and St. Andrews; M.D., 1851; practiced at Bradford eight years, and settled in Sydney, New South Wales, in 1859. He died there on his fifty-ninth birthday, October 28, 1886. In his latter years he became a member of the New Church (commonly known as the

Swedenborgian), and the *New Church Magazine* of January, 1887, contains a biographical notice of him. The writer, J. J. Thornton, says: "The religion of his childhood—that of the Society of Friends—simple and without needless formality—still strongly influenced him in external matters. He cared much for the spirit of love and truth, but nothing for the empty bottles of mere ritual. I never met a man who realized so thoroughly the existence and reality of the spiritual world." A writer in the *Athenæum* of January 22, 1887 (J. Ebsworth), gives some biographical and other particulars about his late friend, from which the following is extracted:—

There are still many persons surviving in Yorkshire and elsewhere who remember with keen enjoyment the promise of his early volume of poems, *The Travels of Prince Legion*, which was published in 1857. Of the minor poems I have private knowledge that there were written in 1851 and 1852 portions of a poem then called *Viola*, but the whole were destroyed in a capricious mood and retrieved in 1856 and the following year, almost solely from their having remained in the memory of the friend to whom "A Dream of Hawthornden" is inscribed. *Prince Legion* was written at a later date at Bradford. The same friend printed a large number of Brereton's miscellaneous poems in Macphail's *Edinburgh Ecclesiastical Journal*, as "Poems from Australia," "More Imports from Australia," and "From New South Wales" in September and October, 1860, and later years; Nos. 176, 182, 198 and 202. Having been engaged to a young lady of rare and estimable qualities, her death overclouded his hopes, and the effect may be seen in the deeper religious tone of his poetry. In 1857 he married Miss Mary Tongue, and on her health failing they went to Australia. She survives. His mother died in 1873 at Ipswich, leaving three daughters. John was the only son. In youth he was singularly handsome, robust, and convivial, with strong provincialism in talk, but a refinement in thought and diction which appeared in his published writings. Warm-hearted, impulsive, and generous, though self-willed and opinionative, he was loved by those who knew him intimately and hated by none.

1857. *Travels of Prince Legion, and Other Poems.* Pp. 166 - London.

- The *Athenæum*, February 6, 1858, says: "*Prince Legion* is an allegory, told something after the manner of Tennyson's *Day Dream*. He is a kind of fairy prince, who inhabits that realm of golden dreams in the minds of men, which stretches from the golden age that has been to the golden age that is to be . . . There is something fairy-like in the telling of the tale and in the gay grace of the music."

1865. *Poems.* Pp. 159 - - - - - London.

- Arranged under the headings: Songs of the Affections; the Evangel of Sorrow; Songs of Devotion; the Spirit of the Word; and Miscellaneous Poems.

1883. *The Goal of Time.* Pp. 53 - - - - - Sydney.

- The secret aim of the *Goal of Time* was to show the presence and power of the Lords' Divine Humanity with man, bringing back the Golden Age to earth.—*New Church Magazine*, January, 1887.

1883. *One Teacher, One Law.* Pp. 67 - - - - - Sydney.

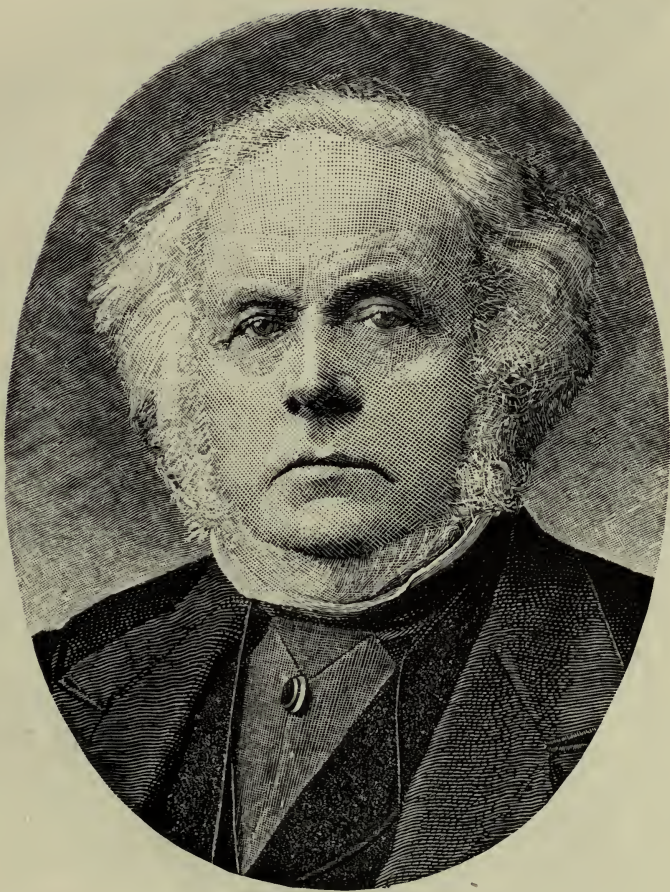
1883. *Beyond, and Other Poems.* Pp. 98 - - - - - Sydney.

The *Westminster Review* for July, 1887, says: "These poems record, in musical and pathetic verse, that expansion of the meditative and imaginative faculty which sometimes is produced by the loss of children and friends."

1887. Genesis and the Beatitudes. Pp. 328 - - - *Sydney*.
 1887. The Triumph of Love. Pp. 155 - - - *Sydney*.

0/ BRIGHT, JOHN, M.P., born at Greenbank, Rochdale, November 16, 1811; at Ackworth 1822-3, and afterwards at York and Newton-in-Bowland, near Clitheroe. His father, Jacob Bright, was sent to the School from Coventry in 1785, and remained there till 1789; his uncle Benjamin 1783-5, and his aunt Mary 1785-8. It is related of Jacob Bright that "as soon as he found he was doing a prosperous business at Rochdale [where he had gone in 1812] he decided to give a certain amount of money annually to Ackworth School to improve the diet of the scholars." John Bright, at the age of sixteen, joined his father in the factory; in 1833 he visited Greece, Egypt, and Palestine; in 1841, after the death of his first wife, he began his close association with Richard Cobden on behalf of the League for the Repeal of the Corn Laws and the adoption of Free Trade; and in 1843 he entered Parliament as member for the city of Durham. He sat as M.P. for Manchester from 1847 to 1857, and for Birmingham from 1857 until his death, March 27, 1889. He was a member of Mr. Gladstone's ministry from 1868 to 1870 as President of the Board of Trade; 1873-4 as Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster; and in the same office from 1880 to July 1882, when he resigned on account of the bombardment of Alexandria, which he regarded as "a manifest violation of the moral law."

1846. An Address to the Tenant Farmers of Great Britain. In R. G. Welford's *Influences of the Game Laws* - - - *London*.
 1854. Letter on the War with Russia, addressed to Absalom Watkin, verified and illustrated by extracts from Parliamentary documents - - - - - *London*.
 1859. Speeches on Parliamentary Reform - - - *Judd, London*.
 1865. Speeches on the American Question. With an introduction by Frank Moore, and a portrait. Pp. xv., 278 - *Boston, U.S.*
 1868. Speeches on the Public Affairs of the last Twenty Years. With an introduction by R. H. Shepherd. Pp. xvi., 367 - *London*.
 A second edition in 1869.
 1868. Speeches on Questions of Public Policy. Edited by Professor J. E. Thorold Rogers. Portrait. Two volumes - *London*.
 A second edition in 1869, and others since.
 1877. The Life and Times of John Bright. By William Robertson. Pp. 321 - - - - - *Rochdale*.



JOHN BRIGHT, M.P.

FROM A PHOTOGRAPH BY THE LONDON STEREOSCOPIC COMPANY.

[Portrait, genealogical tree, and views of birthplace (Greenbank), residence (One Ash), the Friends' Meeting House, Rochdale, and the Fieldhouse Factories. An enlarged and revised edition was published by Cassell and Company about 1880.]

1881. *The Life and Speeches of John Bright.* By George Barnett Smith. Portraits. Two volumes - - - - - *London.*
 An edition in one volume in 1882, and other issues since.
1885. *The Public Letters of John Bright.* Collected and edited by H. J. Leech. Pp. xv., 362 - - - - - *London.*

BUCKLEY, HANNAH, born at Salford, April 24, 1838; only child of Joseph and Mary Buckley; at Ackworth 1849 to 1852; was for many years teacher in a school for the daughters of Friends at Worcester, conducted by Lucy Westcombe; died November 11, 1882, at the age of forty-four.

1874. *Memoirs of Joseph Buckley.* With Portrait. Pp. 650
Smeal, Glasgow.

[A considerable portion of the volume consists of passages from Joseph Buckley's journals and letters descriptive of his two religious visits to Friends in Norway, and of another visit to Friends in Germany and France. The account of his travels among the widely-scattered Norwegian families and meetings is particularly full, interesting, and valuable.]

CLARK, HENRY ECROYD, born at Doncaster, 1836; at Ackworth 1846-50, and at York until Christmas, 1852; served his apprenticeship with Smith and Tuke (latterly D. and E. Tuke), grocers, Bradford, Yorkshire. In 1870 left the business in which he was engaged at Leeds (Southall and Clark, tea-dealers), and, with his wife, was accepted by the committee of the Friends' Foreign Mission Association for service in Madagascar, to which island they went early in 1871. They came home on furlough in 1877, attended the Ackworth Centenary in 1879, and ten days afterwards sailed again for Madagascar, where they remained until the summer of 1887. H. E. C. resided continuously at Antananarivo, though he travelled extensively in various parts of the island—particularly in the Friends' district. From 1881 to 1887 he was a member of the Malagasy Bible Revision Board.

1874. *Diary Malagasy (The Malagasy Diary).* Demy, 16mo.
 Continued under the editorship of H. E. C.—except in 1878 and 1879, when he was in England—until the year 1887.
1874. *Ny Geografy (The Geography).* Pp. 48.
1874. *Ny Geografy Ilavoamena (The Penny Geography).* Pp. 16.
 Many editions of these two books have been issued, but only the first editions were under the editorship of H. E. C.
1874. *Tantarany Paoly Apositoliny Jesosy Kraisty (History of Paul, the Apostle of Jesus Christ).* Octavo, pp. 104.
 A second edition in 1880.

1875. Tantarany Sitefana Greleta (History of Stephen Grellet). Pp. 36.
 1875. Ny Mpamonjy (The Saviour). Short lessons from the life of our Lord; suitable for children. Pp. 82.

Has passed through four editions.

1875. Ny Patriarika (The Patriarchs). History of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph. Octavo, pp. 168.

A second edition in 1886.

1877. Ny naman' ny Tompontosika (The Companions of our Lord). A history of the Twelve Apostles. Octavo, pp. 306.

1881. Tantarany Mosesy sy Josoa (History of Moses and Joshua). Octavo, pp. 189.

1882. Lesona tsotsotra ny amy ny Fahasalamana (Simple Lessons on Health). Pp. 65.

A second edition in 1884.

1883. Tantarany Samoela sy Saoly ary Davida (History of Samuel, Saul, and David). Pp. 176.

1884. Fitarihan-dalana ho amy ny Mpamonjy. Part I. (Introduction to the Saviour). Short lessons from the Old Testament; suitable for children. Pp. 128.

1885. Tantaran' ny Joda sy ny Israely. Part I. (History of Judah and Israel). Pp. 164.

1885. Fitarihan-dalana ho amy ny Mpamonjy. Part II. (Introduction to the Saviour). Short lessons from the Old Testament; suitable for children. Pp. 154.

1887. Tantaran' ny Joda sy ny Israely. Part II. (History of Judah and Israel). Pp. 250.

1887. Tantaran' ny Fiangonana eto Madagaskara, hatramy ny niandohany ka hatramy ny taona 1887 (History of the Church in Madagascar from its commencement to the year 1887). Pp. 476.

- 1884 to 1887. Ny Fiangonana sy ny Sekoly (The Church and the School).

A monthly periodical begun in 1884 under the editorship of H. E. C., and continued under his care until July, 1887, when he left the island.

Besides the books enumerated above, Henry E. Clark has contributed articles on various subjects connected with Madagascar, principally to the *Friends' Quarterly Examiner*, the *Antananarivo Annual*, and the *Malagasy Bible Dictionary*. The books named in the foregoing list were all published at the press of the Friends' Foreign Mission Association at Antananarivo.

DARBYSHIRE, ALFRED, F.R.I.B.A., born in Salford in 1839; at Ackworth 1851 to 1854, and afterwards at Dr. Satterthwaite's school at Alderley, near Manchester. At Ackworth he developed a love for art, under the mastership of Henry Sparkes, himself an accomplished artist, and succeeded in winning—what was then thought something of an achievement—the prize for the best drawing. He was articled to Peter B. Alley, architect,

Manchester, who had previously had as a pupil Alfred Waterhouse, R.A.; began practice for himself in Manchester in 1882; was elected an Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects in 1864, and a Fellow in 1870. Amongst the buildings he has designed and executed are the Pendleton Town Hall; Alston Hall, Preston; large additions to Lyme Hall, Cheshire, the seat of W. J. Legh, M.P.; the Manchester Corporation Abattoir; the great Dublin Sugar Refinery; numerous private villa residences in and round Manchester and in the English Lake Country; and the re-production of Old Manchester and Salford at the Manchester Jubilee Exhibition in 1887.

1860. The Science of Heraldry: considered with a view to the application of its principles to Architecture, as an impressive symbolism and a means of architectural decoration. (Liverpool Architectural Society).
1872. Manchester Architecture, Past, Present, and to Come. A series of papers contributed to the *Manchester Critic*.
1875. Public Abattoirs, with special reference to one recently erected in Manchester. (Royal Institute of British Architects).
1887. Critical Notices of the Pictures and Water-colour Drawings in the Manchester Jubilee Exhibition - - - *Manchester*.
1887. A Booke of Olde Manchester and Salford. With about seventy illustrations of ancient buildings, signs, and costumes, and numerous plans. Quarto, pp. 136 - - - *Manchester*.

The *Manchester City News* says: "The book gives proof how carefully and conscientiously every detail was studied before the artist's hand and eye gave picturesque completeness to the whole." The *Saturday Review*, referring to the re-production of Old Manchester at the Exhibition, says: "The volume in which it is described is a worthy record, and is beautifully printed and full of interesting pictures. The historical portion is easy to read and full of entertaining notes."

1888. Architecture: a lecture given under the auspices of the Wigan Free Library Committee.

In addition to the foregoing, A. D. has contributed papers to the Journal of the Manchester Numismatic Society, and leading articles during 1877 to the *British Architect*; and acted as art critic for the *Manchester Guardian* from 1868 to 1874, and for the *Manchester Courier* from 1875 to the present time.

DREWETT, SAMUEL, born at Luton, 1837; at Ackworth from 1863 to 1866.

1888. Catalogues of the Fine Art Section of the Irish Exhibition - *Dublin*.

In three parts: (1) Pictures, Drawings, Sculpture, and Photographs, with biographical notices; (2) Antiquities and Minerals; (3) Antique Silver.

1889. Guide to Paris and to the Exhibition - - - *Bemrose, London*.

Also author of a series of articles on Surrey Artists and their Homes; and of Art Notes on the Royal Academy and other exhibitions of pictures, contributed to sundry London and provincial papers.

ELLIS, SARAH. See SARAH STICKNEY (afterwards Ellis).

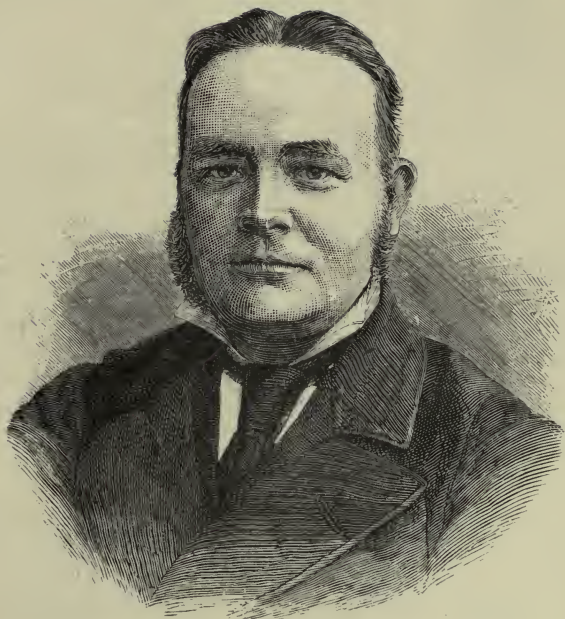
ENOCK, FREDERICK, F.E.S., born at Manchester, 1845, and at an early age removed to Birmingham; at Ackworth 1855 to 1860, where he underwent much "confinement" for chasing butterflies into the "great garden." On his return home he became a member of the Birmingham Natural History and Microscopical Society, to whose proceedings he contributed several papers on Entomology. In 1870 removed to London to join the late Edmund Wheeler in preparing microscopic objects, making insect preparations his speciality. In 1876 elected a Fellow of the Entomological Society, London, and has contributed various notes and observations to its proceedings. In 1886 began the issue monthly of *Fred Enock's Sketches*, a series of exact microscopic drawings of insects, which is still in progress. Is at present engaged in writing the life-history of the Hessian Fly (*Cecidomyia destructor*) and its Parasites, from observations carried on from day to day over a long period.

1883. Holes in the Sand (*Midland Naturalist*) - - - *Birmingham.*
 1885. Notes on the Mymaridæ (*Ibid*) - - - *Birmingham.*
 1885. The Life-History of the British Trap-door Spider (*Atypus piceus*),
 the result of ten years' observations (*Transactions of the*
Entomological Society) - - - *London.*

FAULDER, JOHN, born at Manchester, 1803; at Ackworth as scholar, apprentice, and teacher from 1814 to 1825; afterwards private tutor to the Frys, Waterhouses, and Highams, of Bristol, and lecturer on science and experimental philosophy at the Bristol College from 1840 to 1847. He was the inventor of a system of phonetic typography, or, as he termed it, of "rashunal speling with komun leturz," and was an intimate friend and correspondent of Isaac Pitman, of Bath, the founder of Phonography. He died at Manchester in 1853.

1843. Tracts on Church Union - - - - *Bristol.*
 Among the subjects were Public Worship; Birth-Membership; and
 Disunity and Resignation of Membership.
 1843. Remarks on the Birthright Membership of the Society of Friends.
 By a Member. Pp. 12 - - - *C. Gilpin, London.*

In addition to the above, J. F. published many pamphlets, tracts, and leaflets explaining and illustrating his new alphabetic system,



J. F. B. FIRTH, M.P.

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including selections from the Scriptures, "spelled as spoken, in common types." He was, in fact, one of the earliest and most ardent advocates of spelling reform, in the belief that "if this improvement were adopted there would be no difficulty in doubling or trebling every year the number of persons who can read."

FIRTH, JOSEPH FIRTH BOTTOMLEY, L.L.B., M.P., born at Dobroyd, 1842; at Ackworth from 1852 to 1854. His name is entered on the School Register as Joseph Bottomley, but he assumed the name of Firth on the death of his uncle, Joseph Firth, of Shepley, in accordance with a provision in the latter's will. At London University, in 1873, he took the degree of Bachelor of Laws, and shortly afterwards was called to the bar of the Middle Temple. He was a member of the London School Board for the Chelsea division from 1876 to 1879. From 1880 to 1885 he sat in Parliament as member for Chelsea, but was an unsuccessful candidate for North Kensington in 1885 and West Newington in 1886. In February, 1888, he was elected M.P. for Dundee. His chief public work has been directed to the reform of the local government of London, and his services in this direction have been recognized by his election as Deputy-Chairman of the new London County Council.

- 1876. Municipal London: or, London Government as it is, and London under a Municipal Council. Pp. xvi., 775 - - - London.
- 1876. Chelsea School Board Election. An Address by J. F. B. Frith. With a copy of the Canon Cromwell correspondence. Pp. 50. London.
- 1882. Speech on seconding the Address in the House of Commons in reply to Her Majesty's Speech, February 7, 1882. Quarto, pp. 16 - - - - - London.
- 1882. London Government, and how to Reform it. A Chapter (pp. 147 to 270) contributed to the Cobden Club Essays on Local Government and Taxation in the United Kingdom - London.
- 1885. Reform of London Government. Speech in the House of Commons on the second reading of the London Government Bill. Pp. 12. London.
- 1885. Free Trade: Fair Trade: Depression of Trade. Pp. 16 - London.
- 1885. The Electoral Issues of 1885. Pp. 44 - - - Holmfirth.
- 1888. London Government and City Guilds. (Imperial Parliament Series) - - - - - London.

FORD, JOHN, born at Worcester; at Ackworth 1811 to 1815; afterwards resident in York; was engaged in 1845, along with James Hack Tuke, in arranging for the introduction of the written in place of the oral examination system at Ackworth. (Henry Thompson's *History*, p. 250.)

1853. Influence and Authority. A paper read at a meeting of the Friends' Educational Society - - - - - York.
1857. The Duties and Difficulties of Young Teachers - - - York.
1861. The Sabbath School Teacher : a Memoir of Richard E. Tatham York.
1864. Memoir of Thomas Pumphrey, for twenty-seven years Superintendent of Ackworth School. Portrait - - - London.
1866. Selected Hymns for the use of Young Persons - - - London.

FORSTER, JOSEPH BINYON, born at Liverpool October 23, 1831; at Ackworth 1841 to 1845, and afterwards at George Edmondson's, Tulketh Hall; married Mary Beakbane, of Litherland, Liverpool, July, 1858; settled in Manchester as a sugar refiner (Fryer, Benson, and Forster); died December 1, 1883, aged fifty-two. Contributed to the *Sugar Cane*, a Manchester periodical, and extensively to the *Manchester Friend*, of which monthly journal he was the editor during the whole of its existence, from December 15, 1871, to December 15, 1873.

1867. On Liberty : an Address to the Members of the Society of Friends Manchester.

A second edition, with additions, in 1871. A review of the essay, by Fielden Thorp, was published in 1867, by William Sessions, York.

1871. The Society of Friends and Freedom of Thought in 1871.

Manchester.

GRAHAM, JOHN WILLIAM, M.A., born at Preston; at Ackworth 1871-3, afterwards at school in Kendal, then a student at Flounder's Institute, at University College, London, and at King's College, Cambridge; and a teacher at York, Kendal, and Scarborough. Now mathematical tutor at the Dalton Hall, Manchester. He was the first secretary of the Ackworth Old Scholars' Association, 1882 to 1885; co-editor of the *Natural History Journal*, 1877-1882; and contributor thereto of frequent articles then and since, *e.g.*, Reminiscences of an Ackworth Lodgekeeper, April 1883; author of historical and expository articles in the *Friends' Quarterly Examiner* from 1883 onwards; of occasional reviews in *The Friend* and *British Friend*; of papers on "John Ruskin at Home" in the *Wearside Review*, June to September, 1886; and of a pamphlet on *Our Need of a New Public School*, 1887.

HARVEY, THOMAS, born at Barnsley in 1812; at Ackworth from 1822 to 1825; afterwards for one year at William Simpson's school in York; apprenticed first to David Doncaster, chemist, of Sheffield, and afterwards, on D. D's. death, to Thomas Southall, Birmingham, where he remained about eight years. In 1836,

accompanied Joseph Sturge, of Birmingham, to the West Indies in the interests of the Anti-Slavery cause. Settled in Leeds, in 1837, as a chemist, where he resided till his death in 1884. Throughout his life he was a member of and deeply attached to the Society of Friends, and was a recorded minister for several years. He had wide sympathies, and devoted much time and strength in the cause of the suffering and oppressed. In company with other Friends he visited on behalf of the Gospel and philanthropy, Jamaica, Finland, South Russia, Canada, and other parts, and in the cause of education, temperance, home and foreign missions, and anti-slavery, his pen was often employed in the local press and in the Society's journals.

- 1837. The West Indies. By Joseph Sturge and Thomas Harvey.
- 1839. Papers on the Iniquities of the Opium Trade.
- 1856. Visit to Finland.
- 1865. A Plea for the Perishing.
- 1867. Jamaica in 1866. A Narrative of a Tour through the Island, with remarks on its social, educational, and industrial condition. By Thomas Harvey and William Brewin - - - - London.
- 1867. Narrative of the Visit of Isaac Robson and Thomas Harvey to South Russia.
- 1863-4-8. Addresses to the Leeds Chemists' Association.
- 1872. The Polynesian Slave Trade.
- 1872. The Mennonites of South Russia: their Present Situation in reference to their Christian Testimony against all War. By Thomas Harvey and Isaac Robson. Privately printed. Pp. 14. *Birmingham.*
- 1876. Modern Spiritualism.

Also the following pamphlets:—

- The Chinese Coolie Trade.
- On the Book of Job: its place in the general plan of Holy Scripture.
- The Hebrew Dispensation: a Light to the Gentile World.
- The Proper Attitude of the Christian Church with regard to War.
- The Law of Love in the Law of Moses.
- The Case briefly stated. (A Paper on Temperance.)

Many of W. H's writings are exceedingly scarce; some—including the book on *The West Indies* (1837)—are out of print; and others were printed only for private circulation.

HATTERSLEY, JOHN, M.A., born at Leeds; at Ackworth from 1820 to 1822; after engaging in business for some years entered the University of Cambridge, and in 1847 obtained the eighth place among the Wranglers. Writing to the then Superintendent, Robert Whittaker, he said, "As the first Ackworth

scholar, I believe, whose name has been published on the doors of our Senate House, I feel a pride and pleasure in making this acknowledgment of the benefits received from my first Alma Mater." He acted as a college-tutor for some years, and finally retired to Pau, where he taught European languages. An interesting account of J. H. is given in Henry Thompson's *History of the School* (p. 160-163), where it is stated that "he did much useful work for the booksellers in assisting in the preparation of works of reference; and he was also employed by the British and Foreign Bible Society in translating the Scriptures into languages known to few English scholars."

1831. *The Conquest of America, and Minor Poems.* Pp. 207

Isaac Coates, Darlington.

HODGSON, THOMAS, born at Lancaster, January, 1800. His father had removed there in early life from Dent, having been expelled from home along with his brothers because they had joined the Society of Friends. At Ackworth in 1812 and 1813; apprenticed to J. and F. Fairbank, land surveyors, of Sheffield; settled in Lancaster in 1821. In 1823 to 1825 he made a personal survey of the County of Westmorland for his map—considered the best county map of the day—in the course of which a paper war of great local interest was waged in the *Kendal Mercury* between the firm of C. and J. Greenwood, map publishers, and himself. Married Maria Spence, of Birstwith, in 1834, soon after which his health broke down for the rest of his life. He died in 1869.

1828. *Plan of the County of Westmorland, describing minutely the boundaries of wards, parishes, and townships; the courses of rivers and brooks, turnpike, carriage, bridle, and Roman roads; also the positions of towns, villages, seats, and farmhouses, commons, parks, woods, lakes, and mountains.* From actual personal survey taken during the years 1823, 4, and 5.

The Map was engraved by W. and R. Gardner, of London, upon the scale of sixty chains to the inch, or one inch and a third to the mile. The size was five feet three inches by four feet six inches. It was illustrated with steel engravings of Appleby Castle and Lowther Castle.

1831. *Contributions to the Lancaster Herald on Coal, Geology, and the Origin and Progress of Railways* - - - *Lancaster.*

1829-36. *Sections and Observations on the Ingleton and Burton Coal Fields, contributed to Professor John Phillips' "Illustrations of the Geology of Yorkshire."* Two volumes - - - *York.*

Professor Phillips, in acknowledging his indebtedness to Thomas Hodgson, says: "The most curious feature of the district under Ingleborough is the existence of a little coal-field at the foot of the fell. My own knowledge of this curious coal field, obtained during my residence at Kirkby Lonsdale, was not considerable, but for this full amends have been made by the ready aid of Thomas Hodgson, of Lancaster, an eminent surveyor, joint proprietor of the Burton Coal Track, who has had the kindness to furnish me with accurate sections and



MARY HODGSON.

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valuable observations concerning this coal-field, and its relation to many coal deposits of the Millstone Grit series in North Lancashire with which his professional and geological researches had made him well acquainted."

1841. Plan of the County of Westmorland [the same map as mentioned above] arranged and coloured according to the geological strata by his friend Adam Sedgwick, of Dent, Professor of Geology, at Cambridge University.

HODGSON, MARY, daughter of Thomas and Maria Hodgson, born 1835 at Bentham, Yorkshire; at Ackworth 1846 to 1850; afterwards at Jane, B., and E. Proctor's school, Selby House, Darlington; and then engaged as a teacher in private families. In 1874 she entered the Manchester School of Art; became a student at the Manchester Academy of Art in 1876; was elected a lady exhibitor in 1882, and an Associate of the Academy in 1884. Her work ranged over a wide variety of subjects, including landscape in both materials, oil and water-colour; but in her later years she was debarred from out-door sketching, and made a speciality of animals, particularly cats. She was a regular and considerable contributor from 1876 to 1883 to the various exhibitions at Manchester, Salford, Southport, Nottingham, and Derby. She died at York, September 13, 1886, aged fifty-one years.

1864. A Plea for the Alliance, in verse. Pp. 4 - - - Manchester.
 1879. Illustrations in Henry Thompson's *History of Ackworth School*: twelve drawings of places and scenes in and around Ackworth. Also, a view of Ackworth School as frontispiece to *The Narrative of the Centenary*.
 1883. Vegetarian Receipts for Christmas Time and for all the Year Round. Reprinted from *Almonds and Raisins* (the vegetarian annual volume). Pp. 8 - - - - - Manchester.

In addition to the above-named separate publications, M. H. was a large contributor, chiefly on temperance and vegetarian subjects, to the *Alliance*, *Dietetic Reformer*, and other newspapers and periodicals.

HODGSON, JOSEPH SPENCE, son of Thomas and Maria Hodgson, born at Bentham, Yorkshire, in 1838; at Ackworth, 1846 to 1852, during one of the most interesting and eventful periods of the School's history—the advent of classes, the establishment of the annual vacations, the first of the building improvements, and the abolition of old forms and ceremonies, such as monitors, gargling, and bibs for fourth table boys. He was a member of the Centenary Committee of Ackworth School, and one of the sub-committee upon which devolved the general charge of the three volumes published as memorials of the occasion. Appointed corresponding secretary of the Ackworth Old Scholars' Association in 1883, which office he still holds.

1884. Hardshaw East Monthly Meeting: Lists of Members and Attendances, with other information.

Also in 1885, 1887, and 1889.

J. S. H. has also been a large contributor to periodicals, newspapers, and other publications, including the *Manchester Notes and Queries*; the *Natural History Journal*; the *Cleveland Literary Annual*; the *Manchester Guardian* from 1880 to 1885 (on subjects connected with the Society of Friends); the *Alliance News*; the Vegetarian annual *Almonds and Raisins*; and the yearly volumes of the Ackworth Old Scholars' Association.

HOLME, THOMAS WINN, son of John and Margaret Holme, born at Kendal March 3, 1828; at Ackworth 1841 to 1843; apprenticed as an engraver to George Bradshaw, Manchester, and studied at the Manchester School of Art. Subsequently managed a woollen mill near Kendal, and afterwards the powder mills at Sedgwick, near Levens Park. He devoted much time to the practice of painting. Died at Kendal May 20, 1876.

1874. Poems and Prose. Pp. 214 - - - T. Wilson, Kendal.

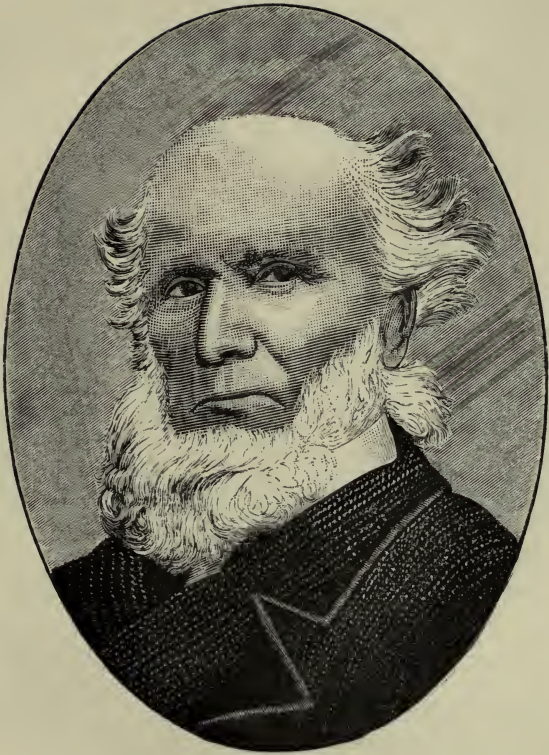
The poems occupy 170 pages, the longest being entitled "The Isle of Souls." The prose papers are a description of Levens Park; an account of the Fish-Breeding experiments at Wansfell, Windermere; and an address delivered at the opening of an essay and debating class in connection with the Kendal Working Men's News and Reading Association.

HOLT, DAVID, born in 1765; at the Manchester Grammar School in 1779, and at Ackworth in 1780 and 1781. In his diary (still in manuscript and in possession of his grandson, Oliver Holt) he says: "Went to Ackworth School in the year 1780—sixty-three years since. I must then have been fourteen years of age. I was represented as coming from Morley, in Cheshire, the meeting to which my mother belonged." He was engaged in the cotton manufacture in Manchester—the district where his mills were situated, Holt Town, taking its name from him—and he became particularly celebrated for his sewing cotton. He was actively engaged in the local government of the town previous to its incorporation, and was the chief promoter of the establishment of a Lancasterian school in Manchester. He died in York-street, Stretford New Road, Manchester, May 30, 1846, aged eighty-one years.

1836. Miscellaneous Extracts from Various Authors, calculated to Amuse, Instruct, and Edify. Pp. 292. - H. Smith, Manchester.

A second edition, with portrait, in 1839.

1843. Incidents in the Life of David Holt, including a Sketch of some of the Philanthropic Institutions of Manchester during a period of forty years, written by himself. Pp. 49 - Manchester.



WILLIAM HOWITT.

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The name of another David Holt occurs in the List of Ackworth Scholars. He is recorded as having been at the School from 1802 to 1805, and he died shortly after leaving. His brother, John L. Holt, came to the School at the same time, but remained till 1807. These were sons of the above-mentioned David Holt by his first wife, Catherine Lawrence. By his second wife, Rebecca Benwell, of Sidcot, he had only one child, a son, born in 1828, to whom also the name of David was given. The latter, who died in 1879, was the author of three or four volumes of poetry, including *A Lay of Hero Worship* (1850), and *Janus and Other Poems* (1853). He was not at Ackworth, and left the Society of Friends on his marriage.

HOWITT, EMANUEL, son of Thomas and Phœbe Howitt, born at Heanor, Derbyshire, about 1790; at Ackworth 1800 to 1804, preceding his younger brother, William, by two years.

1820. Selections from letters written during a Tour through the United States in the Summer and Autumn of 1819, illustrative of the character of the native Indians and of their descent from the lost tribes of Israel; as well as descriptive of the present situation and sufferings of emigrants, and of the soil and state of agriculture. - - - - - Nottingham.

HOWITT, WILLIAM, son of Thomas and Phœbe Howitt, born December 18, 1792, at Heanor, "then a secluded Derbyshire village, situated high and pleasantly on the western boundary of the Erewash Valley—an obscure and rural nook linked to the outer world by the carrier's cart." At Ackworth 1802 to 1806. Thomas Howitt, the father, insisted upon apprenticing his sons to various handicraft trades, and William was placed in business at Nottingham; but about ten years after his marriage with Mary, daughter of Samuel and Ann Botham, of Uttoxeter, in 1821, he decided to adopt literature as a profession, and in 1837 settled in London. He subsequently lived in Germany for about three years, and in 1852 visited the Australian Colonies. He died at Rome March 3, 1879, remaining steadfast to the principles of the Society of Friends to the last. Biographical notices of him are to be found in most books of reference, and there is an excellent memoir in Henry Thompson's *History of Ackworth School*, pp. 328 to 334. See also Mary Howitt's "Some Reminiscences of My Life" in *Good Words*, July to October, 1885. The compilation of a complete bibliography of W. H.'s writings is beset with difficulties, so voluminous are they, so varied were often the channels chosen for their appearance, and so numerous the editions of many of his works. The following list is believed to be approximately complete:—

1823. The Forest Minstrel. (Poems written in conjunction with his wife). - - - - - London,

1824. *A Poet's Thoughts at the Burial of Lord Byron.* - *London.*
1827. *The Desolation of Eyam, the Emigrant, and Other Poems.* (Jointly with Mary Howitt). - - - - - *London.*
A second edition in 1828.
1831. *The Book of the Seasons : or A Calendar of Nature* (Jointly with Mary Howitt).
Eighth edition in 1848.
1834. *A Popular History of Priestcraft in all Ages.*
Many subsequent editions ; upwards of 20,000 had been sold up to 1854.
1834. *The Society of Friends as it was and is. Chap. I. George Fox and his First Disciples.* *Tait's Magazine* for October - *Edinburgh.*
1835. *The Pilgrimage of Pantika : or, Traditions of the most Ancient Times.* Two volumes. - - - - - *London.*
1836. *The Society of Friends as it was and is. Chap. II. The Domestic Manners, Habits, and Peculiarities of the Society.* *Tait's Magazine.* - - - - - *Edinburgh.*
1836. *An Appeal to the Society of Friends at the Present Crisis. (The Beacon Controversy).* *Tait's Magazine* for May - *Edinburgh.*
1837. *The Rural Life of England.* Twenty-seven engravings by Thomas Bewick and S. Williams. Two volumes. - - *London.*
1838. *Colonization and Christianity : A Popular History of the Treatment of the Natives by the Europeans in all their Colonies* - *London.*
The publication of this book led to the formation of the British India Society, and to improvements in the management of British Colonies.
1839. *A Word to Dissenters.*
1839. *The Boy's Country Book.* - - - - - *London.*
1839. *Visits to Remarkable Places : Old Halls, Battle-fields, and Scenery, illustrative of striking passages of English History and Poetry.* First series. - - - - - *London.*
1841. *Visits to Remarkable Places.* Second series.
Both series several times reprinted.
1841. *The Student-Life of Germany : from the unpublished manuscript of Dr. Cornelius, containing nearly forty students' songs, with the original music.*
1842. *The Rural and Domestic Life of Germany ; with characteristic sketches of its chief cities and scenery, collected in a general tour and during a residence in that country in the years 1840-2.* With fifty illustrations.
1844. *Wanderings of a Journeyman Tailor through Europe and the East.* From the German of Holthaus.
1844. *German Experiences.* Addressed to the English, both stayers at home and goes abroad.
1844. *The Life and Adventures of Jack of the Mill : a Fireside Story.* Two volumes.
1845. *Johnny Darbyshire, a Primitive Quaker.* (In *Mrs. Johnstone's Edinburgh Tales*). Volume I. - - - - - *Edinburgh.*
1846. *The Aristocracy of England, a History for the People.*

1847. Homes and Haunts of the most eminent British Poets. Forty illustrations.
- 1847-8. Howitt's Journal of Literature. Three volumes.
1848. The Hall and Hamlet: or Scenes and Characters of Country Life. Two volumes.
1850. The Year Book of the Country; or, the Field, the Forest, and the Fireside. Illustrations by Birket Foster. - - - London.
1851. Madame Dorrington of the Dene: the Story of a Life. Three volumes. - - - - - London.
1852. The Literature and Romance of Northern Europe, constituting a complete history of the Literature of Sweden, Denmark, Norway, and Iceland, with copious specimens of the most celebrated Histories, Romances, Popular Legends and Tales, and Old Chivalrous Ballads. (Written in conjunction with Mary Howitt). - - - - - London.
1853. Stories of English Life. (Bohn's Illustrated Library). (Written in conjunction with Mary Howitt). - - - - - London.
1854. A Boy's Adventures in the Wilds of Australia; or, Herbert's Notebook. - - - - - London.
1854. Universal History of Magic. From the German of Dr. Ennemoser. (Bohn's Scientific Library). - - - - - London.
1855. Land, Labour, and Gold: or, Two Years in Victoria, with Visits to Sydney and Van Dieman's Land. Two volumes. - - - London.
1856. Cassell's Illustrated History of England. Nine volumes. - - - London.
- The text to Edward the First by J. F. Smith, and from that period by W. Howitt. The *Standard* said: "It is not what Green, the historian, calls 'a drum and trumpet history,' but a history of the people written by one of themselves." Henry Thompson (*History of Ackworth School*, p. 331) says: "The marked feature of this history is the entire absence of the glorification of ambition, the idolization of unscrupulous heroism, and the laudation of that selfish spirit which would sacrifice Christian principle to national aggrandisement. The work has passed [in 1879] through eight editions, the first of which was one of one hundred thousand volumes. It was to William Howitt one of the great satisfactions of his last days that he had the privilege of so widely presenting to the British public, in this History, views of the great events of their country written in a spirit of sober Christian responsibility in harmony with principles which he had drunk in with boyhood, and in the truth of which old age had confirmed him."
1857. Tallangatta, the Squatter's Home. A Story of Australian Life. Two volumes. - - - - - London.
1860. The Man of the People. Three volumes. - - - - - London.
- 1862-4. Ruined Abbeys and Castles of Great Britain. Quarto; with photographs. Two Series, the first series written in conjunction with Mary Howitt. - - - - - London.
1863. The Four Famous Doctors. - - - - - London.
1863. The History of the Supernatural, in all Ages and Nations. Two volumes, London.

1863. Letters on Transportation, as the only means of effectual convict reform; also Letters on the Game Laws. - - London.
1865. The History of Discovery in Australia, Tasmania, and New Zealand, from the earliest date to the present day. With Maps of the recent explorations. Two volumes. - - London.
1865. Nicodemians and Thomasians. (Spiritual Lyceum Tracts). London.
1869. Northern Heights of London: or, Historical Associations of Hampstead, Highgate, Muswell Hill, Hornsey, and Islington. London.
1871. The Mad War Planet, and Other Poems. - - London.

JONES, WILLIAM, born at Ruthin, Denbighshire, in 1826; at Ackworth from 1835 to 1839. He was engaged in business as a manufacturing chemist at Middlesborough-on-Tees until 1883, when he went to London in the service of the Peace Society, of which he was Secretary until towards the close of 1888. Besides Welsh, he speaks several continental languages, and has travelled extensively throughout Europe and the United States. In 1870-71 he was one of the honorary commissioners of the War Victims' Fund, and devoted some months to the work of relief in France. In 1876-7 he acted as the Friends' commissioner in Turkey for the relief of distress in Bulgaria. He was appointed a delegate by the London Yearly Meeting in 1887 to the Peace Conference of the Society of Friends at Richmond, Indiana; and whilst in the United States had interviews in the interest of peace, non-intervention, and arbitration with President Cleveland and his wife at Washington, as well as with many influential Americans.

1886. Italy and Militarism. Pp. 12. - - - - London.
- 1884-9. Contributions to the *Herald of Peace*, *Friends' Quarterly Examiner*, *Friends' journals*, and various other periodicals and papers, chiefly on peace and international arbitration.

LAUNDY, EDWIN, son of Thomas and Jane Laundy, born at Godmanchester, Huntingdonshire, in 1811; at Ackworth as a scholar 1822 to 1825, and remained there as a teacher till 1835, when he removed to Birmingham and entered into business as an accountant and arbitrator. He died at Birmingham, October 16, 1875, aged sixty-four, having been a recorded minister about twelve years.

1832. References to select Scripture Passages suitable to be committed to memory. Compiled for the use of Ackworth School.

Pontefract.

Four editions were published subsequently—in 1834, 1846, 1853, and 1857—all printed at York. A note is appended to the second edition, stating that it was "divested of those parts which relate to the peculiar opinions of Friends, and contains no doctrine but what is common to the various classes of professing opinions."

LE TALL, BENJAMIN BOWER, descended from Huguenots who left France after the revocation of the Edict of Nantes, 1685; born 1858 at Handsworth Woodhouse, near Sheffield; at Penketh 1866 to 1869, and at Ackworth, 1869-1871; afterwards at Bootham, York; Flounder's Institute, Ackworth; Owens College, Manchester; and University College, London. He took one of the two (first given) Friends' Teachers' Scholarships in 1880; B.A. London, 1880; B.Sc. 1881; M.A. 1882; travelled in Italy and the East in 1883; and has been a teacher at Bootham, York, since 1884. In addition to the undermentioned works he has contributed to the *British Friend* and *Science Gossip*.

1884. The Ferns of York, including also Nidderdale and the districts around Thirsk, Scarbro, and Whitby. By Henry Ibbotson. Edited by B. B. LeTall and A. R. Waller. Pp. 24. - York.

1885. The Chief Dates of History, selected and arranged for use in Schools. By B. B. LeTall, assisted by other graduates of the Universities of Cambridge and London. Pp. 16.
London and York.

1877-1888. The *Natural History Journal*, conducted by the Societies in Friends' Schools. Editors J. E. Clark, B. B. LeTall (1877-1878, 1880, and 1885-8), and J. W. Graham (1878-1884) - York.

LISTER, THOMAS, was born at the Old Mill Wharf, Barnsley, February 11, 1810; at Ackworth from 1821 to 1824. On leaving school he worked with his father, who was a gardener and small farmer. His contributions to the newspapers attracted the notice of Lord Morpeth, who, in 1832, nominated him for the mastership of Barnsley Post-office. The appointment would have been a valuable one to him, but an oath was required, and the young Quaker, rather than offend his conscience, declined to accept the situation. In 1839 the post again became vacant, and the disability having then been removed, Thomas Lister became postmaster, a position he held until 1870, when he retired on a pension. He was presented with a handsome testimonial by the inhabitants on resigning his post, in appreciation of his faithful services extending over thirty-one years. A great Rambler in his youth, travelling not only over England and Scotland, but France, Italy, Switzerland, and the Netherlands, he resumed his old practice on his release from official duties, and rarely failed to accompany the British Association, of which he became a member, wherever it went, even on the occasion of the visit to Canada. His tastes were both literary and scientific, and he was an accomplished field-ornithologist, his observations of the birds in the Dearne valley being close, constant, and accurate. He kept a diary for many years, of ornithological occurrences in the Barnsley district—the arrival and departure of birds, and other notable incidents of bird-life—which

he published from time to time in the newspapers and scientific periodicals. His last contribution to the proceedings of the British Association was in 1882, on the distribution of Yorkshire Spring Migrants. He was secretary, and afterwards president, of the vertebrate section of the Yorkshire Naturalists' Union. In Ackworth School he maintained his interest to the last, and was present at the annual meeting and at the meeting of the Old Scholars' Association (of which he was a member) in June, 1887. In March, 1888, he had two successive strokes, and died from congestion of the lungs on the 25th of that month, aged seventy-eight. References to Thomas Lister will be found in Newsam's *Poets of Yorkshire*, Grainge's *Poets and Poetry of Yorkshire*, January Searle's *Life of Ebenezer Elliott*, Mrs. Linnæus Banks's story, *Wooers and Winners*, and the *Naturalist* for April, 1888.

1834. The Rustic Wreath : Poems, moral, descriptive, and miscellaneous. Leeds.
 1837. Temperance Rhymes.
 1862. Rhymes of Progress.

MILLER, WILLIAM ALLEN, born at Ipswich, December 1817; was first at Merchant Taylors' School, London, and in 1829 and 1830 at Ackworth, where "by listening to chemical lectures he is said to have first felt an inclination for science."—(*Athenæum*, October, 1870.) In the School manuscript magazine of the period, the *Camera Obscura*, he wrote on many themes, and his love for the crucible was already apparent in some of his essays. In 1841 he visited the School and gave an account of the Electric Telegraph—then in its infancy—and four lectures on Pneumatic Chemistry, three of them to the elder boys and girls, and the fourth to the whole of the School. On leaving Ackworth in 1830, W. A. M. studied medicine at the General Hospital, Birmingham; then worked for a while under Liebig at Giessen; and was appointed Demonstrator of Chemistry in King's College, London, in 1840, and Professor of Chemistry in the same institution in 1845. He acted for nine years as Treasurer of the Royal Society, to which office he was appointed in 1861, and he served a term as President of the Chemical Society. He died September 30, 1870, at the age of fifty-three. His *Elements of Chemistry*, first published in 1855, was regarded for many years as the standard book on the subject.

1859. Report on the Condition of the River Thames. - - London.
 1855-7. Elements of Chemistry, Theoretical and Practical. Three volumes. Part I., Chemical Physics. Part II., Inorganic Chemistry. Part III., Organic Chemistry. - - London.

A second edition in three volumes, with additions, appeared in 1860, and it had reached a fourth edition in 1867-9.

- , Introduction to the Study of Inorganic Chemistry. Pp. xi., 302. - - - - - London.

In addition to the foregoing Dr. Miller's scientific papers comprise memoirs in the *Philosophical Transactions* and other serial works on electrolysis, on lines in the prismatic spectrum, on electro-chemistry, on the photographic transparency of various bodies, and other chemical subjects; and in conjunction with Professor Graham and Dr. Hofmann he drew up the Chemical Report on the supply of water to the metropolis. Along with Dr. Huggins he was the earliest man of science in England who followed up the researches of Kirchhoff into the spectra of the heavenly bodies as revealing their chemical constitution. Kirchhoff had applied the spectrum analysis to ascertaining the constituents of the sun. Drs. Miller and Huggins extended the same method of investigation to the fixed stars. The results were published in the *Philosophical Transactions* in 1864.

NEWBY, JOHN, son of William and Ann Newby, born at Stockport, February 5, 1806; at Ackworth from 1816 to 1819; apprentice till 1827; and afterwards a teacher for nearly forty-four years, retiring in 1863. "To whole epochs," says Henry Thompson (*History*, p. 289), "he was the centre of almost every literary movement that had its place in the boys' leisure. We apprehend that very large numbers of the old scholars trace the germs of some of their best mental culture to agencies over which he presided, or to his own more direct teachings." He died June 16, 1877, aged seventy-two. See *Annual Monitor* for 1888.

1044. The *Phonographic Star*, edited and chiefly if not wholly written by John Newby. - - - Ackworth, and C. Gilpin, London.

"This little periodical," says the Editor, "was begun in manuscript for the use of the pupils in the Friends' School at Ackworth. It was then lithographed, with the design of furnishing them with an entertaining and instructive phonographic reading-book, as well as with examples, both in the simpler and more advanced style of phonographic writing. The *Star* has since found acceptance with phonographers generally; and though at first intended for the young, the character of the work has a little changed since its circulation has extended." The first number appeared in Third Month, 1844; the second in Fifth Month; and then it was issued at regular monthly intervals. The price of each number was twopence, and of the first bound volume eighteen-pence. I have been unable to discover the date of its discontinuance.

John Newby was a considerable contributor of memoirs to the *Annual Monitor*, which he also edited from 1868 to 1877. Throughout life he was a frequent lecturer on a variety of subjects, and delivered in his later years a series of twelve lectures on the Rise of Friends, but whether these were ever printed I have not been able to ascertain.

NODAL, JOHN HOWARD, born at Ardwick, Manchester, September, 1831; at Ackworth from 1841 to 1845. After a service of some years in the intelligence department of the old Electric Telegraph Company, he became a journalist in 1864, and has had a varied experience on the daily and weekly newspaper press and in connection with sundry literary periodicals. He has been honorary secretary and director of the English Dialect Society since 1874, two years after its formation.

1873. *The Dialect and Archaisms of Lancashire.* Pp. 24 - *Manchester.*

1874. *On Studies: Their Choice and Method.* Pp. 16. - *Manchester.*

1875-82. *A Glossary of the Lancashire Dialect.* With etymological notes and illustrative passages from Anglo-Saxon and Middle-English authors and from writers in the dialect. By J. H. Nodal and George Milner. Pp. xv. and 287. [Another part still to appear]. - - - - - *English Dialect Society.*

1876. *The John Jackson Collection* [of books and manuscripts] at the Warrington Free Library. - - - - - *Warrington.*

1877. *A Bibliographical List of the Works illustrative of the various dialects of English.* Edited by the Rev. Professor Walter W. Skeat, M.A., and John H. Nodal. Pp. viii. and 201.

English Dialect Society.

For this work J. H. N. wrote the sections relating to the Scottish Dialects, Cant and Slang, Americanisms, English Gypsy Dialect, the English Language in India, and Chinese-English Dialect. Pp. 133 to 173.

1880. *Special Collections of Books in Lancashire and Cheshire.* (Prepared for the Library Association of the United Kingdom.) Pp. 27. - - - - - *London.*

1884. *Art in Lancashire and Cheshire.* A list of deceased artists, with brief biographical notices. Pp. 28. - - - *Manchester.*

1887. *Recent Work on Wordsworth.* Part I., *The Text.* Pp. 13.

Manchester.

PAPERS AND PERIODICALS EDITED:—

1868-71. *The Sphinx: a Journal of Literature and Art.* Four volumes. *Manchester.*

1871-89. *The Manchester City News.* - - - - - *Manchester.*

1874-80. *Papers of the Manchester Literary Club.* Six volumes.

Manchester.

1878-88. *Manchester Notes and Queries.* Seven volumes - *Manchester.*

1882-3. *Country Notes: a Journal of Natural History and Out-door Observations.* Pp. 164 and 232. Two volumes. - *Manchester.*

1888. *The Pictorial Record of the Royal Jubilee Exhibition, Manchester, 1887.* With 130 illustrations. Imperial quarto. Pp. xii. and 148.

J. H. N. has also been a frequent contributor to *Notes and Queries* (London), and was for the ten years ending 1885 on the staff of the *Saturday Review*.

PICKARD, DANIEL; at Ackworth from 1840 to 1842.

1864. An Expostulation on behalf of the Truth, against Departures in Doctrine, Practice, and Discipline, in which the revised queries, rules, and advices of London Yearly Meeting of Friends are examined and compared with former editions.
A. W. Bennett, London.
1867. A Brief Reply to Thomas Bewley's pamphlet, entitled *An Enquiry into the Right Place and Authority of Holy Scripture*.
John Bellows, Gloucester.

POST, JACOB, born at Islington, 1775; at Ackworth from 1782 to 1787; died at Islington, April 1, 1855, aged eighty. In his later years he was a most industrious writer, and, in addition to the books mentioned below, he was the author of numerous tracts on Silent Worship, the First Day of the Week, Ecclesiastical Demands, and similar subjects, the full titles and dates of which are given in Joseph Smith's Catalogue of Friends' Books.

1838. Memoir of Frederick James Post. - - - - London.
Reprinted by the Religious Tract Society in 1850.
1846. On the History and Mystery of the Sacraments (so-called); showing them to be Jewish institutions, and not ordinances appointed by Christ to be observed in his Church.
Gilpin, London.
1848. The Bible, the Book for All. - - - - Ibid.
Further editions in 1849 and 1856.
1848. Instructive Narrative for the Young, in a series of visions and dreams from the Bible. - - - - London.
1849. A Summary of the Principles and Doctrines of the Christian Religion, as taught in the Bible. - - Gilpin, London.
A second edition in 1850.
1849. Uncle's Visit to the Villa; or evening conversations with his sister's grandchildren on some of the distinguishing peculiarities of the Society of Friends. - - - - London.
1850. A Popular Memoir of William Penn. - - Gilpin, London.
1851. The Origin, History, and Doctrine of Baptisms. - - Ibid.
1854. A Brief Memoir of the Life and Public Character of George Fox. Written for the information of strangers. - Cash, London.
1854. On the Lords' Supper: its origin and history, showing that it is an ancient Jewish ceremony, not instituted by Christ or appointed by Him to be used by His followers. - - Ibid.

PUMPHREY, THOMAS, son of Stanley and Ann Pumphrey, born at Worcester, 1802; at Ackworth as a scholar from 1812 to 1815. He returned there in 1834 as Superintendent, under a sense of religious duty, and continued to fill that post for more than twenty-seven years. As in the world at large, so also in Ackworth School, this quarter of a century was a period of marked

progress. In the later portion of it the building underwent extensive transformations. The raising of the two main wings, the erection of two smaller ones on the girls' side behind the west wing, the building of the new meeting-house, the improvement of the playgrounds, and the transforming of the gloomy old entrance into the present cheerful one were carried out under Thomas Pumphrey's direction and watchful care. With these improvements a corresponding progress gradually took place in the education and general tone of the School. The first general Vacation in the year 1847 was also a new era in the history of Ackworth. In the spring of 1862, failing health obliged Thomas Pumphrey to retire from the service of the School. He died at the Cottage, Ackworth, July 31, 1862, aged sixty years. He had been a recorded minister of the Society of Friends for upwards of thirty-five years. [See the *Memoir of Thomas Pumphrey*, by John Ford.]

1828. A Brief View of the Sentiments of the Society of Friends on the Duty of Prayer, compiled from the approved writings of the Society. - - - - - Worcester.

1853. History of Ackworth School. Pp. 55. - - - Ackworth.
A sketch of the history of the School and of the Flounders' Institute, with six engravings.

1860. Historical Sketch of the Hicksite Secession in America.

This was lithographed, and was read in various meetings of Friends. I have not discovered that it was ever printed.

1864. Brief Recollections of Joseph Sturge. Pp. 14. - Ackworth.
This was written about the year 1859, and was read in many gatherings of Friends. It was afterwards printed as one of the Old Banner Tracts, under the title of *Joseph Sturge, the Christian Citizen*, pp. 32, to illustrate practical Christianity from the standpoint of Friends.

1879. The Nominal History of Ackworth School. - - Ackworth.
A humorous essay on the names of Ackworth scholars, written in 1860 for the amusement of a "leaving party" of Ackworth boys, and published as an introduction to the Centenary List of Scholars.

T. P. was also the writer of several of the essays published by the Friends' Educational Society from 1837 to 1853.

ROBINSON, WILLIAM, was born at Gloucester in 1831. His parents, who were not members of the Society of Friends, both died when he was about seven years old, and he was adopted into the family of an uncle, who was a Friend, William Brady, then living near Dewsbury. He was there received into membership with Friends when about nine years old, and this permitted of his admission into Ackworth School, whither he went in 1841, remaining there till the end of 1846. After spending eighteen months at York School he entered the Flounders' Institute as its first student, at its opening in 1848. After two years teaching as a

junior assistant at Croydon School he was selected to accompany John Yeardley and Peter Bedford on a three months' visit to Friends in Germany and Norway in the summer of 1852. In 1860 he was appointed superintendent of Croydon School, which post he relinquished in 1869, having been liberated to pay a visit to Friends in some parts of the United States and Canada. Shortly after returning from this visit, in 1870, he removed to Bradford, and again in 1873 to Scarborough, where he now (1889) resides. At the special desire of the previous Editor, the late John Newby, on his decease in 1878, W. Robinson undertook the editorship of the *Annual Monitor*.

SAMS, JOSEPH, born at Somerton, Somerset, 1784; at Ackworth from 1794 to 1798, and afterwards a teacher at the School. He is described by Thomas Firth, of Huddersfield, who was a scholar in 1809 and 1810, as a "fine old English gentleman," who "wore a three-cornered looped hat—called a three-decker—buckles to his knee-breeches, and also to his shoes," all of which gave dignity to his appearance. He left Ackworth soon after 1810, and had a school at Darlington; then he travelled through Europe and the East in search of antiquities, and especially of ancient manuscripts, and carried on business as a bookseller and dealer in antiquities in Darlington and London. He died March 18, 1860, aged seventy-six.

1833. Notice of Egyptian Antiquities. Two plates.

1839. Objects of Antiquity, forming part of the collections brought to England by J. Sams. Folio, with plates.

J. S. compiled several descriptive catalogues of rare books and manuscripts, with biographical notices, critical remarks, and woodcuts by Thomas Bewick. He also issued a series of prints, drawings, and tracings illustrative of Egyptian remains, and left in manuscript a journal of his travels in various parts of Europe and in the East.

SCOTT, BENJAMIN, born at Islington, London, 1836; at Ackworth from 1846 to 1850; afterwards for two years at King Edward's School, Birmingham, where he won two Divinity prizes through the good grounding in Latin which he had received at Ackworth. He was apprenticed to a chemist, but has since followed the business of public accountant.

1868. Book-keeping. Pp. 91. - - - - - Birmingham.

A second edition in 1879.

1884-8. The Weasel and his Family: Two papers in the *English Illustrated Magazine* for July, 1884, and February, 1888, covering twenty pages, and extensively illustrated by Bryan Hook.

London.

B. S. has also contributed to the *Gentleman's Magazine*, and is the author of a poem (pp. 2½) on "An Old Country Meeting House" in the *Friends' Quarterly Examiner* for 1877.

SEWELL, JOSEPH STICKNEY, born at Yarmouth; at Ackworth 1829 to 1833; afterwards a teacher there. He was the pioneer of the Society of Friends in Madagascar, and author of the grammar in the Malagasy language. Since his return to England he has been the editor of *The Friend*.

1861. Water Baptism neither a Sacrament nor an Ordinance.
Bennett, London.

1867. Lectures on Prayer and Kindred Subjects. Pp. 195.
Kitto, London.

SEWELL, WILLIAM, elder brother of the above, born at Yarmouth; at Ackworth 1829 to 1831; returned there as a teacher in 1841, and died of consumption in 1846. [See Henry Thompson's *History* for estimate of his character, pp. 230-1.]

1845. Memoir of Mennell Stickney. - - - - Ackworth.

SINGLETON, WILLIAM, born at Nottingham, about 1797; at Ackworth from 1806 to 1810, and afterwards a master there, being described as an excellent and enthusiastic teacher of reading. He lived subsequently at Owlerton, near Sheffield.

1814. Mentor and Amanda: or a Visit to Ackworth School. In verse, with descriptive notes. By a late Teacher. [Anonymous].
Darton, London.

1823. The Result of a Seven Years' Mission, among Friends, of Balby Monthly Meeting in Yorkshire: with a Serious Address to Professors in General, especially to those who pray for the conversion of the Heathen. - - - - Sheffield.

1824. A Letter to Joseph John Gurney, on the subject of his publication entitled *Observations on the Peculiarities of the Society of Friends*. By a True Quaker. [Anonymous]. - - Nottingham.

SMEAL, ROBERT, youngest son of William and Jean Smeal, born at Glasgow 1804; at Ackworth from 1814 to 1818; died June 12, 1886, aged eighty-one. He was the editor and publisher, in conjunction with his elder brother, William, of the *British Friend*, for the forty years from its establishment in 1843 to 1883. His brother retired from the conduct of the paper in 1861.

SMITH, HENRY ECROYD, born at Doncaster, 1823; at Ackworth 1833 to 1837. Henry Thompson notes (*History* p. 215), that he was an active member of the Association for the Improvement of the Mind, and says that "of the essays few were so highly

commended as that on Belzoni, by Henry E. Smith, who thus early indicated a marked taste for a line of pursuit in which he has since become distinguished." On leaving School he engaged in commercial business, and was for a time employed on the Liverpool Dock Estate; then he became connected with the Mayer Museum of Antiquities, bequeathed to the town of Liverpool by Joseph Mayer, F.S.A. In his later years he lived at Saffron Walden, Essex; and he died at Middleham, Yorkshire, January 25, 1889, at the age of sixty-six.

1852. *Reliquiæ Insurianæ: the Remains of the Roman Insurium, now Aldborough, near Boroughbridge, Yorkshire. Thirty-six plates. London.*

1863-74. *Notabilia of the Archæology and Natural History of the Mersey District. Issued annually.*

1870. *Relics of the Anglo-Saxon Churches of St. Bridget and St. Hildeburgh, at West Kirby, Cheshire. Plates.*

1871. *Antiquarian Researches and Discoveries in the Mersey District.*

1878. *Annals of the Smith Family of Cantley, Balby, and Doncaster, and connected families.*

An elaborate genealogical work, comprizing nearly twenty thousand names, with biographical notices of the more eminent individuals.

1885. *A History of Conisborough Castle in the County of York.*

The following are his principal papers in the Transactions of the Historic Society of Lancashire and Cheshire:—

The Pre-historic Man of Cheshire.

Some Antiquities from Macon in the South of France.

Notes on Clay Tobacco Pipes; their uses and forms, makers, and dates.

On Coins, Seals, and Pilgrims' Signs, found upon the sea-shore of Cheshire.

The Limestone Caves of Craven and their ancient inhabitants.

Notice of an Early Conventual Cemetery in Wirral.

Interesting Features of a neglected Roman Station, Brough-under-Stainmoor.

An Ancient British Cemetery at Wavertree.

Mammalian Remains recently found in Wirral.

Roman-British Culinary Vessels discovered in North Wales.

An Unpublished Episode in the life of Roscoe.

Moor-street, Liverpool: its origin and early associations.

Henry Winstanley: a Chapter of Local History.

He collected materials for a new edition of Lord Braybrooke's history of Saffron Walden, and published a catalogue of Roman

tessellated floors found in different parts of Britain. The *Essex Archæological Papers* included a complete account of the Saxon cemetery discovered in an ancient British oppidum, also from his pen.

STICKNEY, SARAH (afterwards Mrs. ELLIS), daughter of William Stickney, born at Ridgmont, near Hull, in 1795; at Ackworth from 1811 to 1813. For many years she conducted a school for girls at Hoddesdon, in Hertfordshire, and in 1837 married the Rev. William Ellis, who achieved great results as a missionary, first among the South Sea Islands (1816-1825), and subsequently (1862-1865) in Madagascar, where he surmounted great difficulties, and was mainly instrumental in securing for the country self-government, constitutional liberty, and the freedom of the church. Down to the time of her marriage Sarah Stickney remained a member of the Society of Friends, and she then joined the Congregationalists. She and her husband enjoyed thirty-five years of married life, marked by great congeniality of taste and pursuit, both in religion and general culture. In her later years she instituted and superintended a school for young women—Rawdon House—her object being to apply the principles illustrated in her various works to the moral training, the formation of character, and in some degree the domestic duties of women. She died at Hoddesdon, June 16, 1872, at the age of seventy-seven, exactly a week after her husband.

1833. *Pictures of Private Life.* - - - - - *London.*

1834. Ditto Second Series. - - - - - *Ibid.*

1837. Ditto Third Series. - - - - - *Ibid.*

Frequently reprinted, and had reached a sixth edition, in three volumes, in 1844.

1833. *The Aurora Borealis: a Literary Annual.* Edited by Members of the Society of Friends. - - - - - *Newcastle.*

Contains four stories by S. S.

1835. *The Poetry of Life.* Two volumes. - - - - - *London.*

1836. *Home: or, the Iron Rule. A Story.* Three volumes. - *London.*

1838. *The Women of England, their Social Duties and Domestic Habits.* - - - - - *Fisher, London.*

Has passed through innumerable editions, both in this country and America.

1839. *The Sons of the Soil. A Poem.* - - - - - *Fisher, London.*

1841. *Summer and Winter in the Pyrenees.* - - - - - *Ibid.*

1841. *Family Secrets: or, Hints to those who would make Home Happy.* *Ibid.*

1842. *The Daughters of England: their Position in Society, Character, and Responsibilities.* - - - - - *Ibid.*



Mrs. ELLIS,

[NÉE SARAH STICKNEY.]

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BY MARY HODGSON.

1843. The Mothers of England: their Influence and Responsibility. *Ibid.*
1843. The Wives of England: their Relative Duties, Domestic Influence, and Social Obligations. - - - - - *Ibid.*
1843. A Voice from the Vintage on the Force of Example, addressed to those who think and feel. - - - - - *Ibid.*
1845. The Young Ladies' Reader. - - - *Grant & Griffith, London.*
1846. Temper and Temperament: or, Varieties of Character. *Fisher, London.*
1846. The Island Queen. A Poem. - - - *Snow, London.*
1847. Prevention better than Cure: or, the Moral Wants of the World we Live In. - - - - - *Fisher, London.*
1848. Rawdon House: Hints on the Formation of Character. - *London.*
- 1848-9. Social Distinctions: or, Hearts and Homes. Three volumes. Illustrated by Henry Warren. - - - *Tallis, London.*
1849. Fireside Tales for the Young. Four volumes. - *Jackson, London.*
- 1850-52. Mrs. Ellis's Morning Call: a Table-Book of Literature and Art. Four volumes. - - - - - *London.*
1854. The Value of Health. - - - - - *Tweedie, London.*
1856. The Mother's Mistake. - - - - - *Houlston, London.*
1856. The Education of Character: with Hints on Moral Training. *John Murray, London.*
1858. Friends at their own Fireside: or, Pictures of the Private Life of the People called Quakers. Two volumes. - *Bentley, London.*
1859. The Mothers of Great Men. - - - - - *Ibid.*
1859. The Widow Green and her Three Nieces. - *Partridge, London.*
1860. Chapters on Wives. - - - - - *Bentley, London.*
1862. Janet: One of Many. A Story in Verse. - *Emily Faithfull, London.*
1863. The Brewer's Family: or, the Experiences of Charles Crawford. *Partridge, London.*
1863. Madagascar: its Social and Religious Progress. - *Nisbet, London.*
1865. Share and Share Alike: or, the Grand Principle. - *Jackson, London.*
1865. William: or, the Fatal Blow. - - - *Partridge, London.*
1866. The Beautiful in Nature and Art. With Portrait. *Hurst & Blackett, London.*
1867. My Brother: or, the Man of Many Friends. - - - *London.*

I have notes of other works by Mrs. Ellis—including one on *The Education of the Heart*, and another, apparently a novel, *Northern Roses*, published in three volumes—but I have been unable to obtain the dates or particulars of publication, or to otherwise verify them. For the above full and approximately complete list I am mainly indebted to Joseph Smith's Catalogue of Friends' Books, with a few additions and corrections.

TATHAM, RICHARD ECROYD, born at Settle, 1839; at Ackworth from 1848 to 1850, and at York school from 1850 to 1853. He died at Settle February 17, 1861, at the age of twenty-two, having in the last two years of his brief life established and zealously conducted a Sabbath adult class for youths. See *The Sabbath School Teacher*, a memoir, by John Ford, with portrait, published in 1861.

1857. A Genealogical Chart of the Family of Tatham, of Tatham, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, from about 1850 to 1857, together with some account of the family and parish. Folio, pp. 13.

Settle.

In addition to the pedigree on a chart, the work contains a tinted lithograph of Tatham Church; notes and short histories of notable members of the family; and a plan and description of the parish of Tatham.

He also wrote a pamphlet, *Do you attend Public Worship?* which was first published by the York Tract Association, and afterwards reprinted by the London Tract Association, as No. 153 of their series.

THOMPSON, HENRY, son of John and Hannah Thompson, was born at Rawdon, October 11, 1827; at Ackworth 1840 to 1842, and afterwards an apprentice there. He was at the Flounders' Institute from 1849 to 1851; then a master at Ackworth for three years, and a master at Tottenham School in 1854 and 1855. In the latter year he became a master at Kendal School, just then revived by Henry Wilson, and subsequently became Principal of the School, holding the office from 1860 to 1878. He has since resided at Arnside, taking a warm interest in Ackworth School, of which he became the historian at the request of the Centenary Committee, and acting as President of the Old Scholars' Association during the year 1887.

1879. A History of Ackworth School during its first hundred years; preceded by a brief account of the fortunes of the house whilst occupied as a Foundling Hospital. With twelve illustrations by Mary Hodgson. Pp. xxiv. and 355. Published for the Centenary Committee by - - - - Harris, London.

TUKE, SAMUEL, born at York in 1784; at Ackworth from 1792 to 1794; afterwards in business as a tea-dealer in York, where he died October 14, 1857. He devoted an immense amount of time to the management of the Friends' Retreat, the excellent administration of which was largely due to his unceasing labours. See *Memoirs of Samuel Tuke*, two volumes, printed for private circulation in 1859.

1806. Description of the Retreat, an institution near York for insane persons of the Society of Friends, containing an account of its origin and progress, the modes of treatment, and a statement of cases. With an elevation and plans of the building. - York.



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1815. Practical Hints on the Construction and Economy of Pauper Lunatic Asylums. - - - - - York.
1824. Memoirs of the Life of Stephen Crisp, with selections from his works. - - - - - York.
1825. Selections from the Epistles of George Fox - - - York.
1832. Memoirs of George Whitehead, a Minister of the Gospel in the Society of Friends. Two volumes. - - - York.
836. A Letter to John Wilkinson, on some statements contained in his Letter of Resignation of Membership in the Religious Society of Friends. - - - - - Darton, London.
1837. Plea on behalf of George Fox and the Early Friends. - Ibid.
1846. Review of the Early History of the Retreat. - Linney, York.
1847. The Identity of Religion in all Ages. - - - - - Ibid.
1848. Account of the Slavery of Friends in the Barbary States towards the close of the Seventeenth Century. - Marsh, London.

Samuel Tuke also edited the *Annual Monitor* from 1842 to 1852, and wrote a number of tracts and pamphlets on temperance, education, treatment of the insane, and other subjects.

WHEELER, DANIEL, at Ackworth from 1824 to 1826.

1842. Memoirs of the Life and Gospel Labours of the late Daniel Wheeler, a Minister of the Society of Friends. Pp. xxviii. and 793. With Map. - - - - - Darton, London.

WIFFEN, JEREMIAH HOLMES, son of John and Elizabeth Wiffen, was born at Woburn, in Bedfordshire, December 30, 1792; at Ackworth 1802 to 1806. In the *Life* by his daughter (London, 1880), as well as in Henry Thompson's *History of Ackworth School*, pp. 325-327, some interesting particulars are given of J. H. Wiffen's career at Ackworth. He was "the best penman in the school, and few surpassed him in mathematics. He employed much of his time in wood engraving, an art in which he attained so much skill that some of his blocks were bought by a bookseller at Leeds, for an edition of Esop's Fables." Here, too, he showed his fondness for poetry; knew by heart a number of old ballads, including Dr. Percy's *Hermit of Warkworth*, and wrote verses in imitation of Dryden's *Palamon and Arcite* and Campbell's *Pleasures of Hope*. On leaving Ackworth he was successively an apprentice to a schoolmaster at Epping, schoolmaster on his own account at Woburn, and librarian and private secretary to the Duke of Bedford, which post he held from his appointment in 1821 to his death, aged forty-three, in May 1836, remaining to the last a staunch Friend. He was a member of the Royal Society of Literature, the Cymrodorion Society, the Society of Antiquaries of Normandy, and the Royal Academy of Madrid, and received unsolicited, but declined, the offer of the degree of LL.D. from Aberdeen.

1812. *The Geographical Primer.* - - - - *Darton, London.*
 1813. *Poems by Three Friends.* - - - - *London.*

Written in conjunction with the Rev. Thomas Raffles, of Liverpool, and James Baldwin Brown, of the Inner Temple. A second edition appeared in 1815.

1818. *Elegiac Stanzas to the memory of William Thompson, late of Penrith.* (Written in conjunction with his brother, B. B. Wiffen). - - - - *Warrington.*
 1819. *Aonian Hours.* - - - - *Longmans, London.*

A volume of poems, of which a second edition was called for in 1820.

1820. *Poems, including Julia Alpinula, The Captive of Stamboul, The Russell, Sonnets, and smaller pieces.* - - *Warren, London.*

This volume also passed into a second edition.

1823. *Translation of the Works of Garcilasso de la Vega, with a critical and historical essay on Spanish poetry, a life of the author, portrait, and woodcuts.* - - - *Hurst & Co., London.*

1824. *Tasso's Jerusalem Delivered: translated into English Spenserian verse, together with a life of the Author, and a list of English Crusaders.* Two volumes. Portrait and vignettes.

Hurst & Co., London.

Other editions followed in 1830 and 1854. Christopher North (Professor Wilson) in the *Noctes Ambrosianæ* (*Blackwood's Magazine*), after praising the Howitts and Bernard Barton, put these words into the mouth of the Ettrick Shepherd:—"The best scholar among a' the Quakers is Friend Wiffen, a capital translator, Sir Walter tells me, o poets wi' foreign tongues, sic as Tasso, and wi' original vein, too, sir which has produced, as I opine, some verra fine ones."

In his dedication of the translation to Georgiana, Duchess of Bedford, J. H. Wiffen thus contrasts the circumstances under which Tasso wrote with his own happier lot:—

Years have flown o'er since first my soul aspired
 In song the sacred Missal to repeat,
 Which sainted Tasso writ with pen inspired—
 Told is my rosary, and the task complete.

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Not in dim dungeons, to the clank of chains,
 Like sad Torquato's, have the hours been spent
 Given to the song, but in bright halls where reigns
 Uncumbered Freedom—with a mind unbent
 By walks in woods, green dells, and pastoral plains,
 To sound, far off, of village merriment;
 Albeit, perchance, some springs whence Tasso drew
 His sweetest tones, have touched my spirit too.

1827. *Verses written on the Alameda at Ampthill Park* - *Moyes, London.*

1833. *Historical Memoirs of the First Race of Ancestry whence the House of Russell had its origin; from the subjugation of Norway to the Norman Conquest.* Pp. vi. and 72. - *Longmans, London.*

1833. *Historical Memoirs of the House of Russell, from the Time of the Norman Conquest.* Two volumes. Portrait and plates.
Longmans, London.



BENJAMIN BARON WIFFEN.

ENGRAVED BY RICHARD BAGOT FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.

1880. Poems and Ballads. - - - - - Houlston, London.

These are given in *The Brothers Wiffen*, by S. R. Pattison, pp. 185-264, and the majority had not previously appeared in print.

WIFFEN, BENJAMIN BARON, younger brother of J. H. Wiffen, born at Woburn in 1794; at Ackworth from 1803 to 1808. He was in business at Woburn as an ironmonger till 1839, when he retired to the hamlet of Mount Pleasant, on the borders of the ducal domain of Woburn Abbey. Here he entered upon the work of his life, the rescuing from oblivion of the writings and deeds of the early religious Spanish reformers, whose principles bore a close resemblance to those of George Fox and the Society of Friends. He was led to undertake this task from two or three remarkable incidents which are duly narrated in Samuel R. Pattison's memoir of him. One of these was an acquaintance he made under singular circumstances with a Spanish nobleman, of middle age, Luis de Vsoz y Rio, "a man of learning, leisure, and fortune," who was engaged upon the same quest. The ruthless completeness of the persecution by which the Reformers and their cause were destroyed in Spain extended to their writings, few of which escaped the flames of the Inquisition. They had to be re-discovered—to be ferreted out from the forgotten corners of libraries in distant countries. B. Wiffen's successive discoveries form one of the most interesting chapters in the romance of book-hunting. The result was the printing of a series of twenty volumes, under the editorship of Don Luis, of the *Reformistas Antiguos Españoles* (*The Early Spanish Reformers*) which had to be secretly circulated in Spain. In this search, and the literary work which it involved, B. B. W. spent nearly thirty years. Beyond occasional brief journeys to London and three visits to Spain, two of which, in 1839 and 1843, were on missions with G. W. Alexander to promote the abolition of the Slave Trade, he passed an otherwise uneventful but laborious life in the secluded Bedfordshire village, where he died, in his seventy-third year, March 18, 1867, three years after his unmarried sister, Sophia, who resided with him, and who was an Ackworth scholar from 1806 to 1808. Benjamin Wiffen is described by his biographer as "a small, pale, keen-eyed man, possessing a delicate organization, with a brave, stout heart, uncommon perseverance, and an indomitable love of truth and justice. He had, too, a good fund of humour, which at first scarcely seemed in harmony with his emaciated form and plain Quaker garb." [*Annual Monitor* for 1868; *Bibliotheca Wiffeniana*. by Dr. Boehmer, 1874; *Memoirs of the Brothers Wiffen*, 1880.]

1865. Life and Writings of Juan de Valdés, otherwise Valdesso, Spanish Reformer in the Sixteenth Century. Pp. xiii. and 590.
Quaritch, London.

1874. *Bibliotheca Wiffeniana : Spanish Reformers of two centuries, from 1520, their Lives and Writings, according to the late Benjamin B. Wiffen's plan, and with the use of his materials.* Described by Ed. Boehmer, D.D., Ph.D. *Trübner, London.*

This was virtually a posthumous publication of biographical material left by B. B. W. in manuscript. His biographer speaks of it as "a work of great labour, prosecuted with scrupulous accuracy. The result is a gallery of portraits of which any nation might well be proud."

1880. *The Quaker Squire, and Other Poems.* - *Houlston, London.*

These poems were, with only two or three exceptions, published for the first time in *The Brothers Wiffen*, by S. R. Pattison, in which volume they occupy pp. 267—375.

B. B. W. bequeathed the whole of his valuable and curious collection of the Spanish reformers' works to Wadham College, Oxford, which, he had ascertained, already possessed some Spanish books acquired in the last century. The *Saturday Review* of April 27, 1878, in a long notice of the bequest of B. B. Wiffen, says :—

His life makes a worthy passage in the Quaker records of this century. In its religious sympathies, in its comparative isolation from the current of modern thought and action, in its single-minded simplicity and uprightness, it recalls the many Quaker biographies with which we are all familiar; but the literary scholarly touch lifts it into a more general range of sympathies. He remains one of the most diligent, certainly one of the most sympathetic, workers in the wide field of the Reformation.

WILSON, JAMES, was born at Hawick in 1805; at Ackworth, where he was a scholar from 1816 to 1819, he "displayed an unusual passion for figures." With a view to training as a school-master he spent six months in the Friends' School at Earl's Colne, in Essex, but not finding the profession of teaching congenial, he joined his brother in business as a hatter at Hawick, and subsequently removed to London to carry on the same. In 1835 or 1836 he began to write money articles for the *Morning Chronicle*, and in 1843, in the midst of the agitation for the repeal of the corn laws, in which he took an active part, he started the *Economist*, which he edited down to the year 1860. He was elected M.P. for Westbury in 1847; became secretary to the Board of Control in the Russell administration; vice-president of the Board of Trade in the Palmerston administration of 1859; and Finance Minister for India in the summer of the same year. He sailed for India in October; succeeded by dint of hard and unceasing work in reorganizing the finances of our great dependency and putting them upon a sounder basis; but his own health suffered by the effort, and he died at Calcutta August 11, 1860, in his fifty-fifth year. [See memoir in the *Encyclopædia Britannica*, by his son-in-law, Walter Bagehot, who succeeded him as editor of the *Economist*, and died March, 1877; and the biography in Henry Thompson's *History of Ackworth School*, pp. 315-323.]

1839. Influences of the Corn Laws as affecting all classes, especially the Landed Interest. Pp. 142. - - - - London.
A second and third edition appeared in 1840.
1840. Fluctuations of Currency, Commerce, and Manufactures referable to the Corn Laws. Pp. 148. - - - - London.
1841. The Revenue: What should the Chancellor Do? Pp. 27. London.
- 1843-1859. The Economist.
1843. The Cause of the Present Commercial Distress and its bearings on the Interests of Shipowners. Pp. 11. - - - - Liverpool.
1846. Capital, Currency, and Banking.
1849. The Navigation Laws. Speech. Pp. 36. - - - - London.
1860. Paper Currency for India. Pp. xviii. and 22. - - - - Calcutta.
1860. Financial Statement, presented to the Legislative Council, Calcutta. Pp. xii., 35. - - - - Calcutta.

WORSDELL, EDWARD, B.A., born at Lancaster; at Ackworth 1862 to 1866.

1886. The Gospel of Divine Help: Thoughts on some First Principles of Christianity, addressed chiefly to members of the Society of Friends. Pp. 194. - - - - Harris, London.

A second edition appeared in 1887, with additions, and a preface by J. G. Whittier, who wrote: "It supplies a want, which it seems to me was never so strongly felt as at the present time, not only in the Society of Friends, but among the thoughtful and earnest seekers after truth in other denominations, who find it impossible to accept much which seems to them irreverent and dishonouring to God in creeds founded on an arbitrary arrangement of isolated and often irrelevant texts—the letter that killeth, without the Spirit which alone gives life." John Hunter, M.A., of Glasgow, in a letter to the *Christian World* of January 20, 1887, says: "It is significant that so able and useful an exposition of the new and broader theology should come from one in full fellowship with the Society of Friends."

A D D I T I O N S .

BATT, RICHARD, son of William Batt, born at Reading in 1808; at Ackworth from 1819 to 1821; afterwards master of the Friends' School, Lancaster.

1833. Prospectus of a cabinet edition of Classical English Poetry, selected and arranged by him. Quarto. - - Bristol.

1836. Gleanings in Poetry, with notes and illustrations. - London.

BLAKEY, ELEANOR (afterwards DICKINSON), born at Askrigg about 1796; at Ackworth 1805 to 1809; married Robert Dickinson, Springfield Academy, Liverpool.

1824. The Pleasures of Piety, and Other Poems. - - London.

1830. The Mamluk: a Poem. - - - - - London.

CARBUTT, EDWARD M.D., born at Leeds about 1785; at Ackworth 1794 to 1797; studied medicine at Edinburgh University; was appointed Physician at the Manchester Royal Infirmary; died at Manchester, February 25, 1836.

1814. Tentamen inaugurale de Systematis Nervosi Physiologia. Pp. 63
Edinburgh.

1829. Letters on the Currency. Pp. 40. - - - Manchester.

1834. Clinical Lectures in the Manchester Royal Infirmary. Pp. 407.
Manchester.

CORDER, SUSANNA, born at Stoke Newington, near London, in 1788; at Ackworth 1797 to 1799; died at Chelmsford, Essex February 28, 1864, aged seventy-six years.

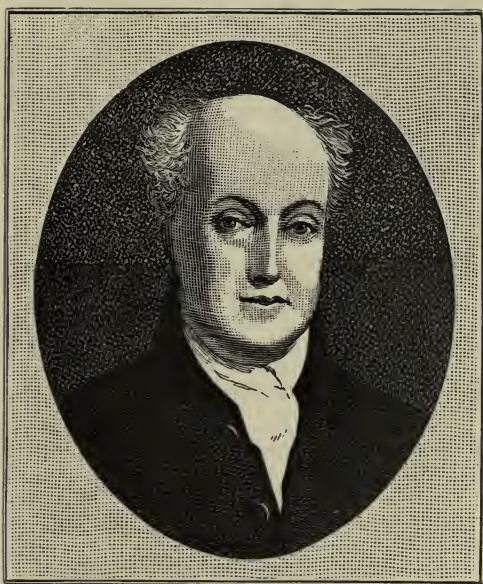
1837. Memorials of Deceased Members of the Society of Friends.
Lindfield.

Frequently reprinted, the sixth edition, considerably enlarged, appearing in 1845.

1839. Reasons why Christian Women should exercise the gifts of the Holy Spirit, particularly in reference to the Ministry of the Gospel. - - - - - Lindfield.

1841. A Brief Outline of the Origin, Principles, and Church Government of the Society of Friends. - - - - - Lindfield.
Often reprinted, and, in 1845, translated into French.

1843. Friendly Cautions addressed to the advocates of Total Abstinence from all intoxicating beverages. By a Total Abstainer.
Lindfield.



WILLIAM DARTON.

1846. Biographical Notice of late Elizabeth Fry. (Extracted from *Memorials of Deceased Friends*). - - - Gilpin, London.
1853. Life of Elizabeth Fry. Compiled from her Journal as edited by her Daughters, and from various sources. - Cash, London.
1854. Christian Instruction in the History, Types, and Prophecies of the Old Testament. Pp. 304. - - - Cash, London.
A second edition, with additions, in 1855.
1856. Memoir of Priscilla Gurney. Pp. vi. and 190. - Cash, London.
1860. Some Remarks on Prize Essays. - - - Barrett, London.
A second edition the same year.

DARTON, WILLIAM, born in London, 1779; at Ackworth from 1791 to 1794. He was apprenticed to his father, William Darton, a copper-plate engraver, and founder of Darton and Harvey, publishers of children's books. William Darton took up his freedom as citizen and clothworker in 1802, and soon after went into business on his own account at Holborn Hill, London, being afterwards joined, for a short time, by his younger brother, Thomas, who was an Ackworth scholar in 1793 and 1794. William continued his copper-plate engraving, and executed a large number of frontispieces and plates for the books he published, and also a series of educational prints, such as the costumes of all nations, the deaf and dumb alphabet, and an alphabet of objects. He continued a member of the Society of Friends throughout his life, and, dying in 1854, was buried in the Friends' graveyard in Whitechapel.

1812. The Union Atlas. - - - - - London.

This contained thirty-eight maps, and was "designed as a companion to the various gazetteers and books of geography now in use."

1821. The Miniature Atlas. - - - - - London.

1821. A Map of England and Wales. - - - - - London.

This was one of the largest maps published, and, in order to secure accuracy, W. D. verified many of the main roads by driving through England and Wales.

Among W. Darton's engravings were Boston Church, after a drawing by Buckler; London from Southwark Bridge (1821); three outline views on one plate of Ackworth School as it was in 1824; and, in 1803, a small circular view of Ackworth School, with an extract from *Rees's Cyclopædia*.

ELCOCK, CHARLES, born at Chertsey, Surrey, in 1795; at Ackworth from 1804 to 1809; died at Pontefract January 18, 1837.

1820. A Letter to the Young Men and Women of the Society of Friends, on the Yearly Meeting Epistle for 1820. - - - Yarmouth.

ENOCH, CLEMENTINA (now WATKINS), born at Hay, Brecknockshire, in 1830; at Ackworth 1840 to 1845; married F. Montagu Watkins, of New Malden, Surrey. She has been an

extensive contributor of tales and sketches to various periodicals and newspapers, including the *Birmingham Weekly Post* and the *Glasgow Weekly Mail*.

1864. *Nellie Deane: a Story.* - - - - *Nimmo, Edinburgh.*

FLOUNDERS, JONATHAN, born at Manchester 1780; at Ackworth from 1790 to 1793; died at Liverpool February 14, 1840, aged sixty years.

1814. *The Christian Doctrine of the Holy Spirit, exhibited from the Scriptures.* - - - - *Liverpool.*
1822. *Some Observations on the Gospel Ministry of Women.* - *Liverpool.*

FOTHERGILL, SAMUEL, great-grandson of John Fothergill, of Carr End, the minister, and great-great-nephew of Dr. Fothergill, of London, and Samuel Fothergill, the minister, was born at Askrigg, Yorkshire, July 13, 1819, and was at Ackworth from 1829 to 1832. He served an apprenticeship to medicine and surgery, but from choice became a teacher, retiring from school-keeping in 1885. He has devoted much time and labour to the promotion of temperance and other social reforms.

1859. *Essay on the Society of Friends: being an enquiry into the causes of their diminished influence and numbers, with suggestions for a remedy.* - - - - *Bennett, London.*
1865. *Liberty, Licence, and Prohibition. An examination of the arguments of John Stuart Mill, in his work on Liberty, in relation to the Liquor Traffic.* Pp. 26. - - - *Tubbs, Manchester.*
1871. *The Threatening Element in England's Prosperity; or Poor Laws, Licence, Education, and Prohibition. A reply to an article by Professor Fawcett in the Fortnightly Review.* Pp. 22. *Tubbs, Manchester.*
1871. *The Principles of Political Economy applied to the Wages Question.* Pp. 45. - - - *J. Heywood, Manchester.*
A reply to articles by George Potter on Strikes and Lock-outs. The first part reprinted from the *Contemporary Review* for April, 1871.
— *May Young England Smoke? An Essay on Juvenile Smoking to which was awarded the prize of £50 offered by the late Henry Pease, of Darlington.*

1888. *Essays on Popular Subjects.* - - *Digby & Long, London.*

The subjects are:—Gladstone, Ritualism and Ritual; The Fallacies of Darwinian Evolution; The Modern Strafford and his Policies of Consolidation; Socialism in the North: its Aim and its Fallacies.

S. F. has also contributed to the *Westminster Review*—in August, 1887, on John Bright and the Irish Question, and in January, 1888, on Free Trade in Banking.

PART II.

PUBLICATIONS ABOUT ACKWORTH AND
THE SCHOOL.Date of
Publication.

1778. A Letter from John Fothergill to a friend in the country, relative to the intended School at Ackworth, with a plan and elevation of the building. Pp. 48. - *London.*
1778. Minute of Yearly Meeting. Folio Tract.
1778. Committee Report, John Chorley, Secretary.
1779. Ackworth School, under the care of Friends' Yearly Meeting in London. Opened for the reception of children 25th day of Third Month, 1779. Letter from John Fothergill relative to the intended School at Ackworth, with plan and elevation. Second edition (see above), with additions. - - - - - *London.*
1779. Committee's Report, signed William Tuke.
1780. Short Account of the Books of the New Testament Abridgement from Dr. Percy's Key; for use at Ackworth School. - - - - - *London.*
1780. Report to Yearly Meeting, Fifth Month, 1780.
These reports have since been continued from year to year.
1781. General Meeting, Seventh Month, 1781. Instructions for Agents. Folio Tract.
1782. Instructions to Agents and Others from the General Meeting of 1782.
1785. The same: from the General Meeting of 1785.
1790. Rules for the Government of Ackworth School, established for the education of children who are members of the Society, and whose parents are not in affluent circumstances. With an elevation of the house at Ackworth.
London.

This was reprinted in London at various times from 1795 to 1816, and at York in 1837.

Date of
Publication.

1790. Vocabulary, or English Spelling-Book, for Use at Ackworth School.

This celebrated Spelling-Book was compiled by Dr. Jonathan Binns and William Payne. An eighth edition appeared in 1819. In 1823 the copyright was disposed of to Samuel Darton, who agreed to supply the School gratuitously with all the copies it might ever require. About 1853 the work was carefully revised by Thomas Pumphrey and Henry Thompson; a new edition was issued, and a fresh arrangement made with the London publisher.

1792. The Life and Religious Labours of Sarah Grubb, with an account of Ackworth School - - - *Dublin.*

A second edition appeared in 1794, with an account of York School added; and a modern reprint was published at Belfast in 1837.

1795. John Hipsley's Resignation. Signed John Ady.

1796. Committee on the establishing of a library. Ninth Month, 1796. Signed John Pim, jun., clerk.

1798. Committee on sending home children in public carriages. John Pim, clerk.

1798. On sending children home in public carriages. Report of Ackworth General Meeting, Seventh Month, 1798. Robert Ransome, clerk.

1799. Circular on a Fund for Boys educated at Ackworth.

1799. Letter on the Resignation of Mercy Wright, housekeeper.

1799. Tables of Money and Weights for Use at Ackworth.

A fifth edition was printed by Simpson, York, in 1857.

1800. An Essay towards an English Grammar for the use of Ackworth School. By Thomas Coar (of Tottenham) and Jonathan Binns. - - - - - *York.*

1802. Running-hand Copies by Joseph Donbavand, writing master at Ackworth. - - - - - *London.*

1804. Minute on the Resignation of Jonathan Binns, and other vacancies likely to take place in the School. Signed John Elliott, jun., clerk. - - - - - *London.*

1806. Circular on a Fund for Girls educated at Ackworth.

1806. Ackworth Ex-scholars and Plainness of Apparel. Minute of the Yearly Meeting of 1806. - - - *London.*

1811. John Ady's Discharge. - - - - - *London.*

Date of
Publication.

1814. *Mentor and Amanda: or, a Visit to Ackworth School.*
With descriptive notes. By a late Teacher. [William
Singleton.] - - - - *Darton, London.*

Printed at Nottingham. Three hundred verses, poor stuff,
but giving a fair idea of the customs of the School.

1815. *Ackworth School Association.* An Address to Friends who
have been educated at Ackworth School. - *London.*

This organization would appear to have been a kind of fore-
runner of the existing and flourishing Ackworth Old
Scholars' Association, but it was evidently established
prematurely. After issuing the address named above, it
published its first annual report *Fifth Month, 1815*,
and continued the issue of such reports—there were five
in all—till *Sixth Month, 1819*, after which it was
dissolved. I find no reference to this society and its
work in Henry Thompson's *History of the School*.

1817. *A Wreath from the Wilderness.* By Robert Barnard (of
Coalbrooke Dale, and afterwards of Manchester.)
Ironbridge.

Contains some verses on Ackworth School, with notes
illustrative of the same.

1829. *Hints on Scriptural Instruction* (as adopted at Ackworth.)
Bristol.

- 1830-31. *An Account of Ackworth School*, with an engraving, in
the *Friends' Monthly Magazine*. - - - *Bristol.*

1831. *Ackworth School Catalogue*, being a list of all the girls and
boys educated at that institution, from 1779 to the
present. [By William Doeg.] - - *London.*

1832. *References to Select Scripture Passages.* For use at
Ackworth. [By Edwin Laundry.] - *Pontefract.*

- 1832-37. *The Yorkshireman: a Religious and Literary Journal.*
By a Friend. Five volumes. - - *Pontefract.*

Published in fortnightly numbers, the series ending in 1837,
when the Author, Luke Howard, F.R.S., of Ackworth
Hall, a member of the Society of Friends by birthright,
ceased his connection with the Society. The fifth
volume contains (pp. 359-360) an *Account of the Public
Schools of the Society of Friends, including Ackworth.*

1836. *Conference at Ackworth, Seventh Month, 1836.* First
Circular of Friends' Educational Society.

1837. *Friends' Educational Society, established Seventh Month,*
1837. First Annual Report. - - - *York.*

A second edition appeared in 1846.

Date of
Publication.

1838. Friends' Educational Society. Second Annual Report, with Appendix containing first report and original prospectus. - - - - - *York.*
A second edition appeared in 1846.
1839. The Boy's Country Book. By William Howitt. - *London.*
Contains some autobiographical recollections of Ackworth School, and describes the customs and life there at the beginning of the century.
1839. Report of Committee on Labour and Schools.
A second edition, London, in 1841.
1840. Report on Religious Instruction, 1839. - - - *York.*
A second edition, London, in 1842.
1840. Report on Moral Discipline. - - - - *York.*
A second edition, London, in 1842.
1840. Friends' Educational Society. Third Annual Report, 1839; second edition, 1846; Fourth Annual Report, 1840; second edition, 1846; Fifth Report, 1841; Sixth, 1842; Seventh, 1843; Eighth, 1845; Ninth, 1846; Tenth (for 1848), 1849; Eleventh (for 1850), 1851; Twelfth, 1853.
1841. Report on English Grammar, at the annual meeting of the Friends' Educational Society. - - - *York.*
1841. Report on Arithmetic, at the annual meeting of the Friends' Educational Society. - - - - *York.*
1842. A Cycle of Eighteen Years in the Seasons of Britain; deduced from Meteorological Observations made at Ackworth from 1824 to 1841, compared with others before made for a like period (ending with 1823) in the vicinity of London. By Luke Howard, F.R.S. Plates.
London.
1842. Notes of a Conference at Ackworth.
Reprinted in 1850.
1842. Second Report on Labour and Intellectual Education. *York.*
1842. Two Reports from the Committee of Women Friends, 1838-9. - - - - - *London.*
An earlier edition, not dated, was printed at York.
1843. Report on Classics. - - - - *York.*
1843. Five Papers on the past proceedings and experience of the Society in the Education of Youth. Read at Ackworth, 1838-42. - - - - *York.*

Date of
Publication.

1844. Address of the Committee to Parents and Guardians [when each child left the School.]
1845. Report on the Employment of Leisure Time at School: and the Employment of Time on First Days. - York.
1846. Report on the Range of Studies. - - - York.
1846. Reports and Essays : 1837 to 1845.
This was a collection of the foregoing Educational Reports and papers.
1847. Appeal to Friends for subscriptions for alterations in the premises. Signed, on behalf of the London and Country Committees, by J. B. Braithwaite and Samuel Priestman.
1847. A Visit to Ackworth School. *Chambers's Edinburgh Journal*. New Series. Vol. viii. No. 192, September 4, 1847. Pp. 151-3.
1848. Catalogue of the Library for Officers. - - York.
1850. Catalogue of the Centre, West Wing, and Classical Libraries at Ackworth. - - - York.
1851. Fundamental Rules and General Regulations for the Government of Ackworth School. - - York.
1851. Subscriptions to the Building Fund (Girls' Wing and Water Supply.) - - - London.
1853. History of Ackworth School [by Thomas Pumphrey.] With six illustrations. Pp. 56. - - York.
1853. Friends' First Day School Association: Report of Sixth Annual Meeting, held at Ackworth, Seventh Month, 1853. - - - Bristol.
1854. List of Land and Fresh-water Molluscs found in the Neighbourhood of Ackworth. By Charles Ashford, Christchurch, Hants. *Zoologist*, April, 1854.
1854. Fund for the Liquidation of the Debt. - Pontefract.
1856. Report on Scriptural and Religious Instruction. Thomas Pumphrey, Superintendent. - - York.
1864. Friends' First Day School Association: Seventeenth Report. Seventh Month, 1864. - - - Bristol.
1865. The Ackworth Reading Book, being selections from the best English Authors, in prose and poetry: designed as a reading book for senior classes, and compiled for the use of Ackworth School. By William Pollard, late one of the senior masters. - - A. W. Bennett, London.

Date of
Publication.

1868. Report of the Schools Inquiry Commission [appointed by Government.] Presented to Parliament.

The Assistant Commissioner who visited Ackworth was J. G. Fitch, M.A.

1879. From the Lune to the Neva sixty years ago; with Ackworth and "Quaker" Life by the way. By J. B. [Jane Benson.] - - - - - *London.*

Contains four chapters on Ackworth, namely, Chap. ii., Dr. Fothergill—Meetings on Discipline—Queries—The Boys go to Ackworth. Chap. iii., Arrival at Ackworth and a Day's Life there. Chap. iv., Further experiences at Ackworth, agreeable and otherwise. Chap. v., Still Ackworth—The Reading-master's Daughter—John's Spelling Lesson, Im-prac-ti-ca-bil-i-ty. The narrative is slightly fictitious in form, and real personages are disguised under fictitious names, but in the Preface to a second edition of the book a clue is given to the actual individuals whose story is here told.

1879. A History of Ackworth School during its first hundred years; preceded by a brief account of the Fortunes of the House whilst occupied as a Foundling Hospital. By Henry Thompson (of Arnside, near Carnforth, formerly one of the masters of the School.) With twelve illustrations by Mary Hodgson; engraved on wood by Edmund Evans. Published by the Centenary Committee. (Printed by Bellows, Gloucester.) Pp. xxiv., 355.

London.

Views:—Ackworth School from the garden; High Ackworth Church, elm, lychgate, and village cross; seed house and dial in great garden; Car Bridge and River Went; Went Vale; Pontefract Castle; Ackworth School Inn; Bracken Hill; the Mill Dam; Hemsworth Dam; Nostell Priory and Lake; Old Chalybeate Bath. The Appendix contains information concerning the Rainfall, Health and Mortality, and Annual Income and expenditure of the School from the opening.

1879. Centenary of Ackworth School: A narrative of the proceedings at the celebration, Sixth Month 26th and 27th, 1879. Edited by James Henry Barber. With sketch of the life of Dr. Fothergill, by James Hack Tuke; and a short sketch of the History of the School, by John S. Rowntree. Pp. 212. - - - - - *London.*

Illustrations:—Ackworth School from a field near the Old Bath, drawn by Mary Hodgson; Portrait of Dr. John Fothergill, from a cameo by Wedgwood; Carr End, Semmer Water, Wensleydale, the birthplace of Dr. Fothergill.

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1879. List of the Boys and girls admitted into Ackworth School during the 100 years from Tenth Month, 1779, to the centenary celebration on 27th of Sixth Month, 1879. Compiled from the official registers. Pp. xxxix. and 211. - - - - - *London.*
Contains in all 9,486 names.
1882. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Report of Inaugural Meeting, held at Ackworth General Meeting, July, 1881. Pp. 30. - - - - - *Darlington.*
Contains a report of the addresses, names of officers appointed, a list of the members who joined at the meeting, and an account of the School-year 1881-2, by J. A. Barringer.
1883. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Second Annual Volume. Pp. 74. - - - - - *Darlington.*
Contents: Report of annual reunion, with the address of the president, Joseph Simpson; Old Ackworth, its reminiscences, lessons, and results, by James H. Barber; Acrostic, by Charles Parker, 1780, with note by Thomas Puplett; Recollections of Ackworth School in 1846-7, by Joseph Spence Hodgson; the School-year 1882-3, by John A. Barringer.
1884. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Third Annual Volume. Pp. 100. - - - - - *Darlington.*
Contents: Report of annual reunion, with the address of the president, William Carr Parker; Secretary's circular on the Natural History workroom; Songs at the Reunion; A Guarded Education, by Edward Marsh; Ackworth School sixty years ago, by Albert Linney; Teacher and Boy a hundred years ago, by J. W. Graham; the School Year 1883-4, by John A. Barringer.
1885. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Fourth Annual Volume. Pp. 72. - - - - - *Darlington.*
Contents: Report of the annual reunion, including the address of the president, James H. Barber; the School-year 1884-5, by J. A. Barringer.
1886. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Fifth Annual Volume. Pp. 82. - - - - - *Darlington.*
Contents: Report of the annual reunion, with address of the president, Joseph Stickney Sewell; the School-year, by J. A. Barringer; the Oldest Living Ackworth Scholar, by Joseph Spence Hodgson; John Ruskin's annotations on J. H. Tuke's memoir of John Fothergill, by J. Spence Hodgson.
1887. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Sixth Annual Volume. Pp. 100. - - - - - *Darlington.*
Contents: Report of the annual reunion, with address of the president, Henry Thompson; the School-year, by C. W. Mihill; Musings of an Old Lodge-keeper, by F. W. Wood.

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1887. The Shells of Ackworth and Went Vale. By Hugh Richardson. With map of the district. Pp. 80.

W. Sessions, York.

Reprinted from the *Natural History Journal*, February to December, 1887.

1887. Ackworth Parish Registers, 1558 to 1600. *Yorkshire Notes and Queries*, vol. i. Pp. 108-118 and 166 to 173.

Bradford.

1888. Ackworth Old Scholars' Association. Seventh Annual Volume. Pp. 88. - - - - - *Darlington*.

Contents: Report of the annual reunion, with address of the president, Thomas Pumphrey; the School-year, by C. W. Mihill; the Foundling Hospital, by Thomas Wright.

1889. Records of a Quaker Family: the Richardsons of Cleveland, in Yorkshire. By Anne Ogden Boyce.

Pub. by the Author, Chertsey, Surrey.

The sixteenth chapter is devoted to Ackworth School, where Hannah Richardson went as governess in 1836, and the following is a synopsis of the contents:—The Foundling Hospital; branch established at Ackworth in 1759; zeal of its promoters; the branch abandoned in 1773; building bought by Dr. Fothergill for a Friends' Boarding School in 1779; sketch of Dr. Fothergill's life; John Hill, the first Superintendent of Ackworth; Sarah Grubb's letter; William Howitt's account of Ackworth in *Boy's Country Book*; Joseph John Gurney; Robert Whittaker, Superintendent from 1804 to 1834; Fevers; Luke Howard; temporary depression of the boys' school; Thomas Pumphrey enters as Superintendent in 1834; Hannah Richardson takes the post of governess in 1836; she remains for ten years; popularity of girls' school during that time; letter from a mistress; the pet mouse; general meeting of 1846; John Bright; James Hack Tuke; changes at Ackworth since 1846.

The seventeenth chapter contains an account of the origin of Flounder's College or Institute, communicated by J. R. Procter, and its contents are as follows:—Thomas Procter, of Clifford, near Tadcaster; his grandson Emmanuel, settles at Yarm; Emmanuel's son, Joseph, marries Jane Flounders; early history of her brother, John Flounders; his marriage to — Bickerdyke; their son, Benjamin, marries Mary Walker, of North Shields; her early death, and that of her only child; Benjamin Flounders inherits the Bickerdyke property on condition of leaving part of it for the benefit of the Society of Friends.

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 MAPS, PLANS, PORTRAITS, AND VIEWS.

1749. The South-West Prospect of Ackworth Park Hall; large view, drawn by J. Marsden, engraved by W. H. Toms.
1778. Plates to John Fothergill's Letter on the Intended School:—
1. An elevation of the house at Ackworth.
 2. Plan of the house and land at Ackworth.
 3. Ground plan of the house at Ackworth.
1781. Portrait of John Fothergill, M.D., founder of Ackworth School (born 1712; died 1780). Painted by Stewart; engraved by Valentine Green, A.R.A.
- Ackworth Church. View by W. Bowman; lithographed by E. Pulleyn.
1782. Portrait of Dr. John Fothergill, prefixed to Dr. Lettsom's Memoir of him; painter R. Cosway; engraver F. Bartolozzi, R.A.
1782. Portrait of Dr. John Fothergill (in the fourth edition of Lettsom's Life); drawn by R. Livesey; engraved by F. Bartolozzi, R.A.
1787. Map of the School Estate, with the purchases in 1785-7. By J. Tuke.
1790. Oval Portrait of Dr. John Fothergill, from a bust by Wright; painted by C. Blackbird, engraved by John Hall, and published in the *Literary Magazine*.
1795. Lands purchased of the executors of the late Daniel Vaux. Surveyed and drawn by J. Tuke.
1803. Small View of Ackworth School, with an account from Rees's Cyclopædia. Engraved by W. Darton, Jun.
Intended for watch cases.
1813. View, taken near the Bath, by T. Stackhouse.

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1814. Small circular coloured view of the School.
London : W. Darton.
- 1814 (?). Curious oval engraving of the School, a sort of bird's eye view, showing the buildings in elevation and the gardens down to the canal. By T. Stackhouse, jun.
- 1814 (?). A larger view, apparently adapted from the above, put into a circle of five and a-half inches diameter.
1818. Portrait of Joseph Donbavand, writing-master at Ackworth for forty-two years, from its opening in 1779 to 1821. Engraved by Robert Cooper. - *London : W. Darton.*
1820. Plan of the Estate.
1824. Outline Views of Ackworth School, showing the centre and both wings, with two smaller views of the girls' wing and the boys' wing underneath on the same plate. Engraved by William Darton, an Ackworth scholar.
1825. Portrait of Dr. John Fothergill, in hat and wig.
London : W. Darton.
1826. View of the School, from Doncaster Road. No artist's name. - - - - *Manchester : J. Fothergill.*
1830. View of School (from Moor Top); drawn by William Doeg; engraved by H. Melville.
- 1840 (about). Lithograph Views, in sepia, of the Boys' Wing, the Girls' Wing, and the Centre. - *Ackworth : Linney.*
- 1846 (about). View of the School. Sketched and lithographed by William Monkhouse, of York. - *York : John L. Linney.*
1849. View of the Flounder's Institute, Ackworth. Drawn by Henry Sparkes; engraved by William Willis, of Birmingham.
1849. Tinted Lithographic View of the School, showing the raised wings. Drawn and lithographed by William Richardson.
York : Hunton.
1853. Illustrations to Thomas Pumphrey's *History of Ackworth School*. Drawn by W. Moore, and engraved by W. Willis. - - - - *Ackworth : Linney.*
1. General View of the School.
 2. Entrance and Meeting-house.
 3. Boys' Shed and Gardens.
 4. Girls' Playground and Gardens (new wing).
 5. The School Hotel and Obelisk.

These views were also published on separate cards.

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1857. A series of Six Photographs (stereographs), taken by William Pumphrey, then of York.
1. Centre and Terrace.
 2. Committee Room and Steps.
 3. The Boys' Wing.
 4. Meeting-House and Entrance Garden.
 5. School Hotel and Obelisk.
 6. Ackworth Church and Old Elm Tree.
1859. Six Large Photographs, $7\frac{1}{2} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$, taken by W. Pumphrey.
1. Ackworth School from the Great Garden.
 2. Centre and Terrace from the Girls' Green.
 3. Boys' Wing from the Bottom of the Green.
 4. Girls' Wing from the Terrace.
 5. Meeting-House and Colonnade.
 6. Flounder's Institute: front and side view from the Garden.
1863. A second series of Stereographs, by William Pumphrey.
1. Entrance Garden and Vestibule.
 2. Meeting-House.
 3. New Swimming Bath in Great Garden.
 4. Great Garden Gate and Elm Trees, at bottom of Flags.
 5. Summer House at bottom of Great Garden.
 6. Side Walk near the Seed House.
 7. Ackworth School from Moor Top Road.
 8. Carr Bridge and Garden Cottages.
 9. Obelisk and School Hotel.
 10. Ackworth Church Porch.
 11. Cross on Village Green near the Church.
 12. Flounder's Institute, distant view.
 13. Flounder's Institute, front near view.
- 1865 (about). Portrait of Thomas Pumphrey (b. 1802; d. 1862), for twenty-seven years Superintendent of Ackworth School. Engraved on steel by Lumb Stocks, A.R.A.
1875. A set of Photographs, carte-de-visite size, taken by Martin Manley, of Brighouse.
- These included a general view of the School from the Garden; Girls' Playground and Gardens; the Meeting-house; the Boys' Wing; the Boys' Shed and Gardens; and the School Hotel.
1875. Five Photographs, $10\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$, taken by Martin Manley, of Brighouse.
1. Ackworth School and Great Garden.
 2. Centre and Boys' Wing.
 3. Meeting-House and Colonnade.
 4. The School Hotel and Entrance Yard.
 5. The School Hotel and Garden.

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1879. Engravings in the *Narrative of Ackworth Centenary* :—

1. The School, from a field near the Old Bath. By Mary Hodgson.
2. Carr End, Semer Water, Wensleydale, the birthplace of Dr. John Fothergill. From a sketch by the late John Fothergill, of Darlington.
3. Portrait of John Fothergill. From the cameo by Wedgwood.

1879. Engravings in Henry Thompson's *History of Ackworth School*. All from drawings by Mary Hodgson; engraved on wood by Edmund Evans :—

1. The School from the Garden.
2. Church, Lychgate, Old Elm, and Village Cross, High Ackworth.
3. The Seed House and Dial in the Garden, Ackworth School.
4. Carbridge, River Went, from the canal bank.
5. View in Went Vale; Noah's Ark Field, Brockendale.
6. Pontefract Castle.
7. The Inn, Ackworth School.
8. Bracken Hill, Wakefield Road, near Ackworth Moor Top.
9. The Mill Dam, near the Old Bath, Ackworth.
10. Hemsworth Dam, near Ackworth Moor Top.
11. Nostell Priory and Lake.
12. The Old Chalybeate Bath, near Ackworth School.

1887. Large Photograph of the School in three sections—each section about 12 × 10—taken by Bridges and Smith, of North Parade, Bradford.

A copy of this hangs in Devonshire House, London.

